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FOUR WONDERFUL YEARS

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AT SHIELDS HIGH SCHOOL

Our four wonderful years are coming to a close, and as we look forward to the future, we also look back to the events that took place during our dear school years. We think of the activities we participated in, the classes we studied so hard in, and the school spirit which encouraged us to strive for the best. These years have been happy ones, as well as years of hard work, disillusionment, and sometimes even disappointment. We have always looked forward to that glorious senior year, and now that it is closing we almost wish we were freshmen again, except that it has been so much fun to be a senior. We have finally reached the end of our brief stay here, and it is our wish that the '57 Patriot may serve always to bring back pleasant memories of those wonderful years.

Jackie Wayman looks to John with admiration.

First We Were Eager FRESHMEN

Sandy and Tim went to the deans for help.

Eager with anticipation we began our Freshman year as S.H.S. We were excited, but a little wary of the new life ahead of us as members of the high school student body. We received our schedule of classes and after the first few days managed to get around with a little less difficulty and confusion. We stood in awe of the Seniors and longed for the day when we would become one of the upperclassmen who seemed to know so much about the school and about subjects which we had never heard about. However, we entered with open minds, feeling confident that someday we, too, would be as self-assured as everyone else.

As the school year progressed, we began to know the students around us, and we made many new friends during the year. We soon had our few very close friends, but we also met pupils from different schools and different parts of the city. We began to feel united as a freshman class, and we worked hard at the activities we joined and the subjects we took. Of course, there was always that certain someone we were especially interested in, besides the many friends we had met already. Yes, our freshman year began to progress, and with it we progressed in many ways.

Guess who they were talking about?

We Began to Know Our Classmates

There is always room for one more.

We started diagraming.

Soon we really began to dig into our classes, and although our assignments were hard at first, we started to understand them. It even became easier to concentrate after a few weeks, thanks to the consideration and patience of our teachers. Some of our subjects were very difficult and seemed like so much Greek at first, but when we started to fit into the regular pattern of school life, we began to understand that so much knowledge was necessary if we wanted to continue with our education. We continued to do our best so we could go on through the next years of high school with a good basic foundation.

Our Freshman Classes Were Interesting

We were confused.

"We'll get it yet."

The underclassmen looked up to the Seniors.

As SOPHOMORES We Felt More at Home

As sophomores we realized that half of those wonderful years at Shields High was nearly over. We could not recall ever being as "green" as the freshmen, and still we looked ahead — not imagining ourselves ever being "sophisticated seniors."

Bobby, Judy, and Curt represented the Sophomores in Student Council.

Soon we would be upperclassmen too.

One of the most important events of our sophomore year was picking out our class rings. We began looking forward to those years when we could be upperclassmen, and those tiny rings rated high.

Gathering at someone's car to talk over the latest news was a favorite pastime for these sophomores.

We Began to Grow Up . . . . . .

We spread the latest news—word got around.

"Come on; get to work!"

Our Studies Became Harder . . . .

We looked further into Latin.

With our sophomore year at Shields High came cares and responsibilities, but we took them all in stride. Yes, our studies became harder which meant more homework. Those math and Latin classes took concentration.

Marcia and Dennis look up to Mike, a senior.

Our Junior year was filled with many new experiences; receiving our class rings, the annual class play, and making plans for the Junior Prom. Although these activities kept us well occupied we couldn't help but cast a watchful eye at our upperclassmen, the Seniors.

As JUNIORS We Felt Superior

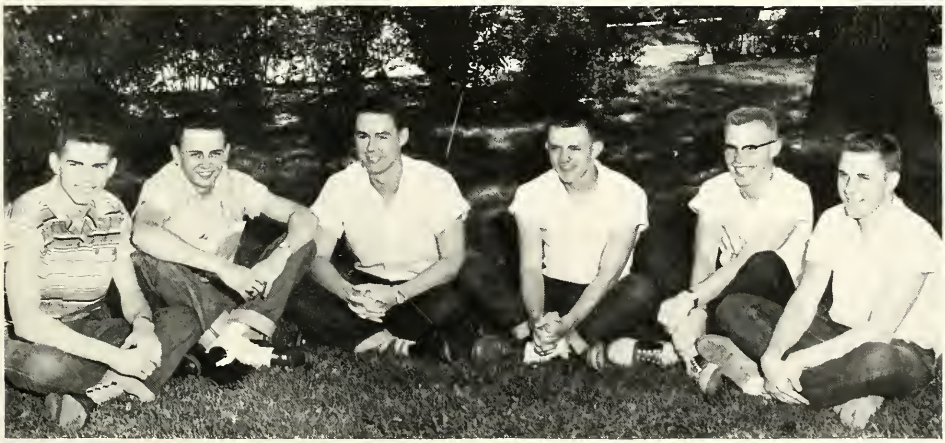
The junior boys worked hard on the prom.

The girls worked on floor level while the boys used the scaffolds.

Junior girls attending Girls' State were **(sitting)** Irma Krumme, Carol Wichman, Judy Gilbert, Linda Bollinger, Doris Kiel; **(standing)** Mary Jane Mitchell, Sue Lucas, Janet Cummings, and Connie James.

Juniors Study Better Government at I.U.

Certain junior boys and girls were honored by having the privilege to attend Boys' and Girls' State at Indiana University. The students are divided into cities, hold elections, and are instructed in better government in a community. Various sororities and organizations send the students and pay their way.



Junior boys attending Boys' State were: **left to right**, Don Munden, Mickey Beck, J. R. Hudson, Don Schroer, John Lewis, and Jerry Armstrong.

We abandoned the hunt and peck system.

During our junior year we were busy preparing for the next task which would confront us, the task of being a senior and looked up to by all the underclassmen. As Juniors we began to look ahead into the future and choose subjects which would help us specialize in one particular field of work.

Our Junior Classes Became Specialized

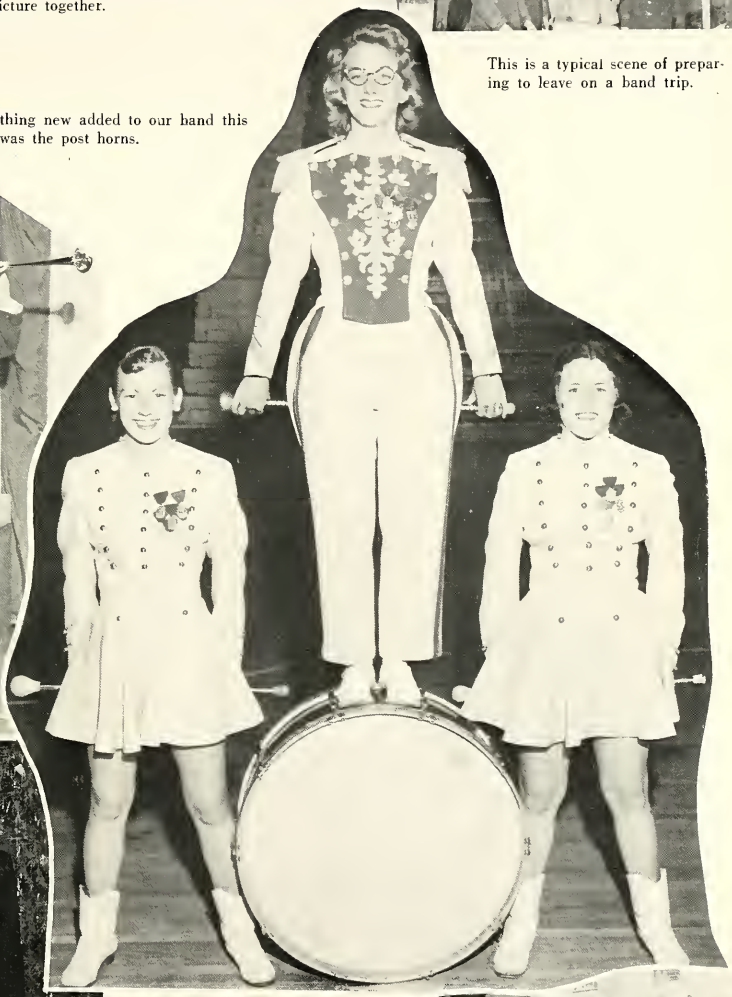
Mr. Everdon brought us up to date on current events.

Snapshots From Editor's Desk

This is a typical scene of preparing to leave on a band trip.

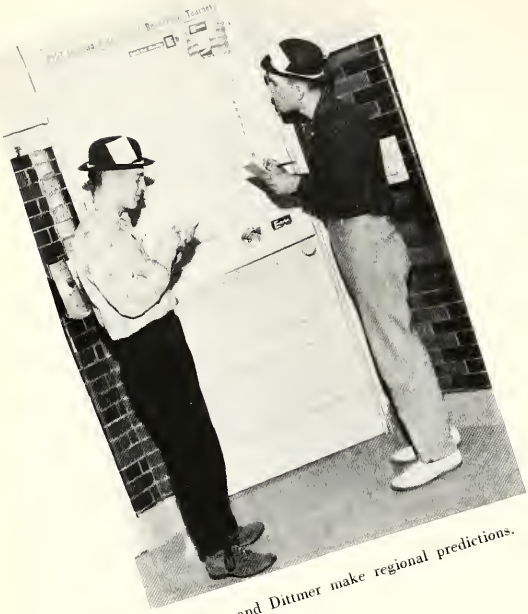
The Senior majorettes pose for their last picture together.

Something new added to our band this year was the post horns.



The Four Lancers entertained students and organizations many times during the year.

Stand up straight! Students are being measured for their caps and gowns.



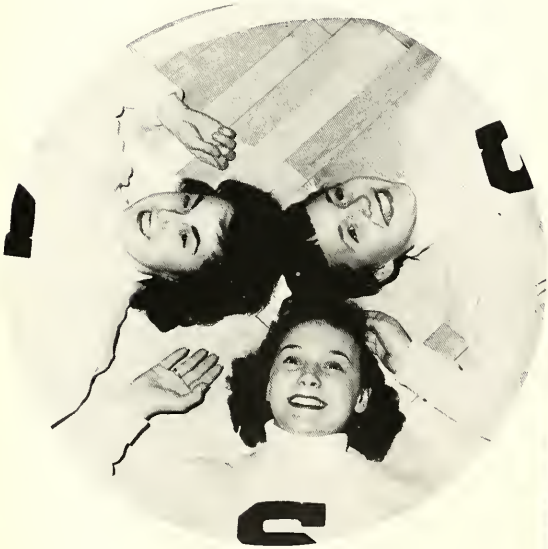
Eglen and Dittmer make regional predictions.

Ike and Dick supervised the voting.

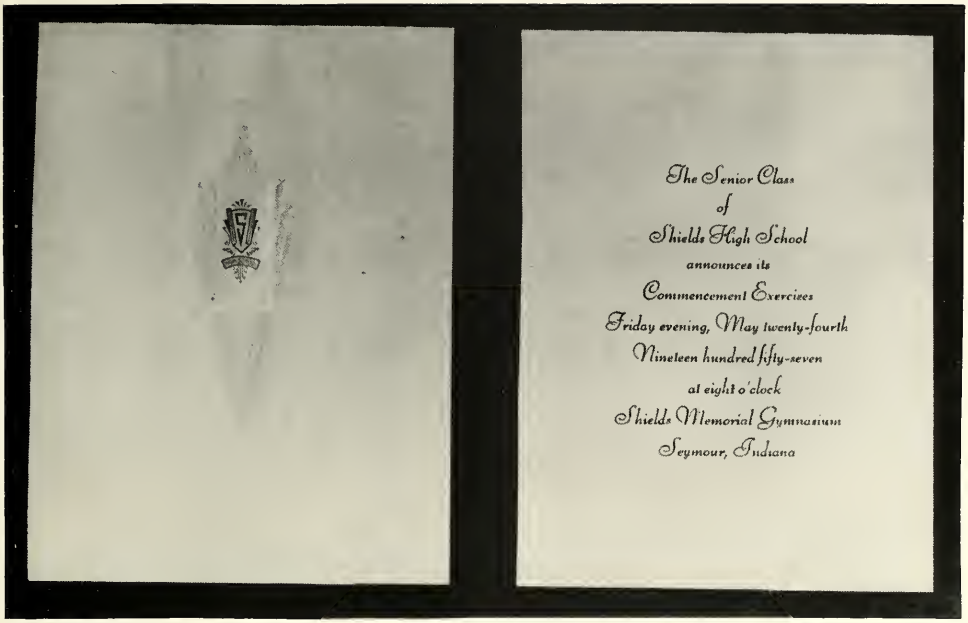
SNAPSHOTS

Waiting on the bell.

Hurry and get your ticket for the semi-finals.



Let's spell out Seymour.



The Senior Class
of
Shields High School
announces its
Commencement Exercises
Friday evening, May twenty-fourth
Nineteen hundred fifty-seven
at eight o'clock
Shields Memorial Gymnasium
Seymour, Indiana

Announcing the commencement exercises of the class of 1957.

The Four Years Were Great

After three hard years we could hardly believe it—we were Seniors at last. We had dreamed of the last happy year, and after it arrived, it flew by so quickly we did not realize that it was gone. The Junior Prom, our Baccalaureate and finally, graduation exercises all seemed like a dream come true. We had all tried our best to make our activities the best, most exciting ever — and we succeeded. The struggle was over; but it was worth it. We stood on the threshold of our careers, armed with our diplomas and ready for anything, come what may.

The class of '57 was led by president Bill Nolting.

Chris is giving a report in Miss McHenry's English class on his research theme.

Seniors Continue Studies for Future

The fact that you were a Senior did not dim the necessity of study. It was essential that we maintain our grades to fulfill our ambition—a high school diploma. From fourth year English to chemistry to industrial arts—we all did our best to raise our averages and our class ratings. Our teachers were only too glad to help us master our more difficult problems, and we were grateful for their help when the fateful day for grades arrived. For some this meant the last of their formal education—for others it was only the beginning of a trained profession. Whichever the case, we will always remember our final classes while we were Seniors.

Miss Bruner and Miss Horstman, her assistant student teacher, instructed us in the modern ways of government.

The "Garden of Memories" and the prophecies brought forth much fun and excitement.

Having as its theme a garden party, the seniors made their last contribution to S.H.S. by participation in Class Day. Prophecies and wills were read at this time and listening to the history of the seniors made some of us wish we could go back and relive four wonderful years at S.H.S.

The presentation of the key was made by senior class president Bill Nolting to junior class president J. R. Hudson.

Sarah and Larry make wishes.

SENIOR DINNER

Approximately two hundred persons attended the Senior Dinner in the Elks Club ballroom. The theme, "The Garden Beautiful," was carried out by having a large wishing well in the center, singing birds, and small trees with various colored bird cages hanging in them.

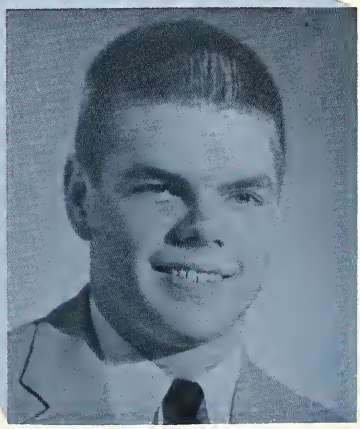
Members of the court were: **left to right:** Denny Rebber, Kathryn Meyer, King, Larry Eglen, Queen, Janet Bobb, Patty Harvey, Eugene Heiwig. The king and queen were crowned by the senior class president, Bill Nolting.

The graduating class of 1957 faces the future with high hopes.

124 SENIORS COMPOSE GRADUATING CLASS OF '57

Mary Ermadene Able, the fourth valedictorian of her family to be graduated from Shields High School.

Jim VanOsdol, salutatorian of the class of 1957.



Excellent food was prepared by the cafeteria staff; Mrs. Helen Pollert, Mrs. Bernice Redicker, Mrs. Edith Maschino, and Mrs. Monice Rumph. The staff was headed by Miss Carrie O. Ryan (not pictured).

Good, wholesome food and a tidy building were important factors in our school life. It wasn't an easy job to feed and clean up after us teen-agers for four, long years.

CAFETERIA AND CUSTODIANS

We thank our custodians, Mr. Orville McCellan, Mr. Ernest Rhoads, Mr. Arnold Vice, Mr. Leland Ames, and Mr. Sam Emily, who kept the building looking neat after us for four years.

4 YEARS IN ACTIVITIES

1956 — "ORIENTAL GARDENS"

The queen and her court of the 1956 Prom were: Kathryn Meyer, Nancy Chestnut, Patty Harvey, Janet Bobb, and Peggy Hennessy.

The dance band was wonderful.

The theme of the 1956 Junior Prom was carried out beautifully with all white decorations and gaily colored lanterns and umbrellas. The guests walked over a rustic bridge when they arrived and danced from 9:00 till 12:00 in the enchanting "Oriental Gardens."

The 1957 Junior Prom had as its theme "Caribbean Cruise." The decorations were in blue and the evening was enjoyed by everyone.

These two classes of Juniors certainly planned beautiful Proms and the Seniors enjoyed both.

1957 — "CARIBBEAN CRUISE"

The queen and her attendants of the 1957 Junior Prom were: Karen Keyes, Peggy Boyles, Linda Bollinger, Sue Lucas, and Saundra Bobb.

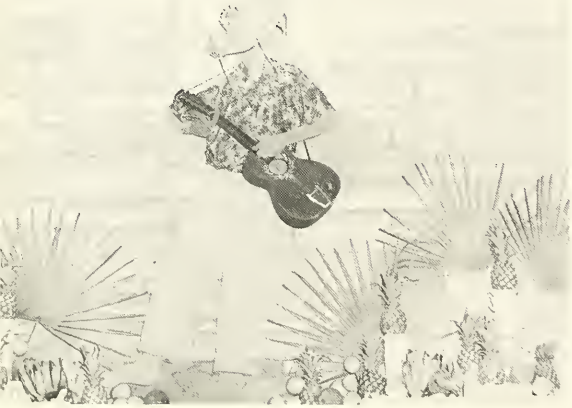
Janet and Bill pose for a picture.

The sophomore servers for the prom display the beautiful ice punch bowl.

Two scenes from the wonderful entertainment—thanks to mom and dad!!

"1956-1957 AFTER PROM PARTIES"

The subjects look sad—but we were really having fun!!



The beautifully decorated mantel and the bananas and paper monkey added to our enjoyment.

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Senior Candidates: **Left to right:** Tommy Dunn, Bill Nolting, Jim Van-Osdol, Larry Eglen, Denny Rebber.

Juniors Sponser "KING OF THE OWLS"

Five senior and five junior boys were chosen respectively in their government and history classes to represent their class in the "King of the Owls" contest. Students supported their favorite candidate by a penny a vote. King, Don Schroer, was crowned at the dance following the Salem basketball game. This event was sponsored by the junior class.

King of the Owls—Don Schroer—Mr. Shaw.

Junior Candidates: **Left to right:** Jerry Armstrong, Mickey Beck, Don Schroer, J. R. Hudson and Steve Beard.

1957 SECTIONAL QUEEN

JANET BOBB

Standing, left to right, are candidates: Connie James, Nancy Chestnut, Linda Bollinger, Denny Rebber, Co-Captain of the basketball team, Judy Coates, Sarah Steinker, and Peggy Boyles. Seated is the queen, Janet Bobb.

Let's Dance

After game dances were a favorite for S.H.S. students.

Queens step out for first dance after crowning.

JUNIOR PROJECTS

"Come on; buy a sticker!"

Seeing the juniors selling car tags became a common sight at S. H. S.

"Will I???"

The big project during the junior year is planning and producing the Junior-Senior Prom. Naturally the money to pay for everything was a problem. So the juniors combined work with fun on their projects so that they might have a wonderful Prom this year.

Mr. Dyer arouses enthusiasm to help the seniors reach their goal in the magazine drive.

SENIOR PROJECTS

Says one senior to another, "I'll buy a pencil if you'll buy a box of Christmas cards."

The seniors made money and at the same time had fun working on their concessions.

The team captain plans strategy for their high magazine sales.

Madame Arcati calls upon spirits.

JUNIORS Present "Blithe Spirit"

Miss Bernice Foster directed the Junior Class play, "Blithe Spirit." The juniors had two different casts, one for each night. The cast was as follows:

Elvira	Connie James	Marjorie Tolbert
Ruth	Linda Bollinger	Judy Gilbert
Charles	John Lewis	Kenny Montgomery
Dr. Bradman	Don Munden	Don Munden
Mrs. Bradman	Judy Coates	Karen Keyes
Madame Arcati	Beverly McClintock	Linda Henkle
Edith	Sue Lucas	Ann Moren

This was to give more students a chance to participate in the play. Irma Krumme was the student director, and many students assisted in the success of the play.

The junior stars prepare for their performance.

Members of the cast were: Fred Dieckmeyer, Peggy Aiken, Marita Terkhorn, Phil Jordan, Mike Simmons, Tom Dunn, Martha Short, John Dittmer, Nancy Chestnut, and Patty Barnett.

SENIORS Presented "Almost Summer"

Caught in the act.

Honors can be won for scholastic work as well as for sports. This was proven at the state contests held at Bloomington. In algebra Carolyn Sue Borcherding won the right to compete in the state contest. Tom Parker competed in geometry.

Mary Jane Mitchell was the only student from S.H.S. winning the right in the regional contests held at Seymour, to compete in the state Spanish contest. She placed high in the state and won a gold medal.

Sitting (left to right): Ann Feaster, Martha Kespohl, Nancy Redicker. **Standing:** Eddie Bobb, Lindley Ruddick, Phil Miller.

Most of the participants from Seymour were in the Latin contests. Ed Bobb competed for Latin II honors. Martha Kespohl, Nancy Redicker, and Lindley Ruddick represented S.H.S. in the Latin I contest. Martha Kespohl was a gold medal winner at the state.

S.H.S. Students Win Honors In State

MATH
Kneeling: Tom Parker, Joe Gili. **Standing:** Stanley Dittmer, Sue Borcherding, Elsie Quinn, Robert Bennett.

SPANISH
Jim Endicott, Janet Osterman, Mary Jane Mitchell, and Sondra Rebber.

Choir contestants, **sitting:** Martha Short, Janet Peters, Judy Parks, Madonna Morgan, Jim Pierce, Shade Shutters, Dan Droege, Chris Moritz, Kenny Edmonds. **Standing:** Janice Frederick, Sandra Smith, Nikki Kriete, Phil Jordan, Jim VanOsdol, Fred Dieckmeyer, Larry Eglen, Bob Siefker, Brenda Sciarra, Ruth Ann Bode, Judy Osterman, Eunice Wichman.

Music Department Wins Recognition

Band contestants: **Row 1:** Nancy Martin, Tom Miller, Ronnie Shepherd. **Row 2:** Mike Lewis, Merlin Bell, Dick Shade, Dean Pierson, Nancy Turpin. **Row 3:** Judy Osterman, Charles Hanner, Patty Harvey, Benny King, Ronnie Barnes. **Row 4:** Rita Hall, Pennie Jackson, Jo Ann Rebber, Denny Myers, Audra Deputy. **Row 5:** Patty Cox, Judy Patrick, Doris Jones, Judy Kamman, Sharlene Miller, Katie Dittman. **Row 6:** Phil Ahlbrand, Phil Jordan, Raymond Parker, Ted Campbell, Denver Schrader, Dick Morgan.

Time out in the cheering section.

Seniors Win Class Tourney

Providing fun and entertainment as usual, the class tourney, with the comic outfits of the participants, got repeated laughs. The juniors beat the sophomores without much difficulty. After that game the seniors took the plow over and defeated the sophomores. Make-up and costumes were left off as the championship game was played. The seniors increased their superiority by winning the title after also winning the championship last year as juniors.

But it was all in good, clean fun and the whole gang **poses**????

4 YEARS IN ORGANIZATIONS

Left to right: Tom Dunn, Vice-President, Phil Ahlbrand, President, and Janet Peters, Secretary-Treasurer.

The 1956-57 Student Council was composed of 13 members, two from each class except the seniors which have three. This group was chosen by the students to be their representative body. Meetings of the council consist of discussing the problems of students, improvements to be made, and the development of better citizenship among the students.

Some of the activities were selling "Owl" sweatshirts, sponsoring booster busses to out of town basketball games, presenting two student convocations, and sponsoring a "Draw the Owl" contest. to find an Owl for the "official" Owl of the school. The Council also sponsored a "Teen Etiquette" week.

Advisors for the council were Miss Gladys Gilpen and Mr. Charles Seville.

STUDENT COUNCIL Represented Us Well

Row 1, left to right: Miss Gilpen, Tom Dunn, Phil Ahlbrand, Janet Peters, and Mr. Seville. **Row 2:** Barbara Tolbert, Judy Kamman, Connie James, Bob Endicott, John Lewis, Don Schroer, Curt Bruce, Donna Leckermeyer, Norma Carter, and Judy Osterman.

Members were: John Dittmer, Beverly Byrd, Sandra Von Dielingen, Mary Jane Mitchell, Janet Peters, Judy Parks, Judy Gilbert, Marita Terkhorn, Dan Droege.

Future Teachers Inspect Teaching Field

The Future Teachers of America had a very definite purpose for their organization. Not only did they wish to build up within themselves the qualities of a good teacher, but they also wanted to learn the advantages and disadvantages of teaching.

Listening to teachers from our school, some who had many years of experience and others who had just entered the field, enabled the students to get a better look at the teaching profession.

Although only eight members participated in this organization, the group sponsored the victory soc hop before the regional, served as guides at the annual parent's night, and participated in classroom teaching.

The club's sponsor was Miss Mary Alice Bruner.

Officers were: Mary Jane Mitchell, program chairman; Marita Terkhorn, treasurer; Beverly Byrd, secretary; John Dittmer, vice-president; Janet Peters, president.

Seated, left to right: Lucille Engleking, Donna Engleking, Janet Flick, Linda Klaykamp, Doris Grein, Miss Janet Peters. **Standing:** Miss Pearl Shaffer, Karen Speer, Mary McCasland, Patty Franklin, Nancy McCulley, Mary Gruber, Naomi Hildebrand, Judy Hawkins, Faye Marcum, Patty Engleking.

F H A Clubs Prepare

F.H.A. Officers, **seated:** Janet Flick, Doris Grein. **Standing:** Karen Speer, Faye Marcum, Patty Engleking, Patty Franklin, Nancy McCulley.

The F.H.A. was newly organized at Shields High this year. Working very hard to set up their club, the members organized a club which was very active all year. The F.H.A. Chapter from Columbus came to install the Seymour Chapter on March 26, and also initiated the members.

F. F. A. members were, **left to right:** **Row 1:** Milton Stuckwisch, Steve Schepman, Danny Eggersman, Charles Davidson. **Row 2:** Nelson Lewis, advisor, John Wischmeier, Irving Schneider, Roger Mellencamp, Paul Vice, Richard Lucas, Larry Rumph, Richard Stuckwisch, Wayne McDonald. **Row 3:** Dick Tuggle, Bob Gray, Allen Goecker, Clyde Brooks, Leroy Barnett, Lynn Stuckwisch, Jim Brock, Lanny Turner, Donald French. **Row 4:** Jim Anderson, Don Kline, Fred Schlatterer, Allen Wessel, Paul Darlage, D. C. Long, Leslie Pollert, Louis Bobb, Richard Lambring. **Back Row:** Gene Kelso, Don Innis, Ronnie Otte, Willis Moenning, Max Norris, Bob Woodard, Charles Adams, Glen Heideman, Jim Long.

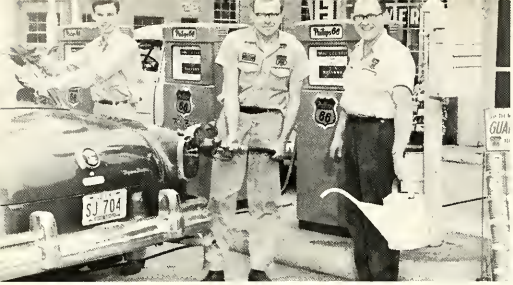
For Tomorrow

The F.F.A. had many activities during the year to help the agricultural students become better farmers and citizens. In February junior and senior members traveled to Louisville to visit the International Harvester Company. A delegation was also sent to the State F.F.A. convention at Purdue where livestock, dairy, crop, poultry, and forestry judging teams participated in county and district contests. Several members also participated in speaking contests.

Working on the school farm the students learned how to gain skill in the various techniques of agriculture. The students also learned better farming methods which will aid them when they engage in farming for themselves.

Mr. Nelson Lewis was sponsor for this group.

The officers were, **seated left to right:** Louis Bobb, treasurer; Willis Moenning, vice-president; Ronnie Otte, secretary. **Standing left to right:** George Miller, president; Jim Brock, sentinel; Charles Adams, chaplain; Dick Tuggle, reporter.



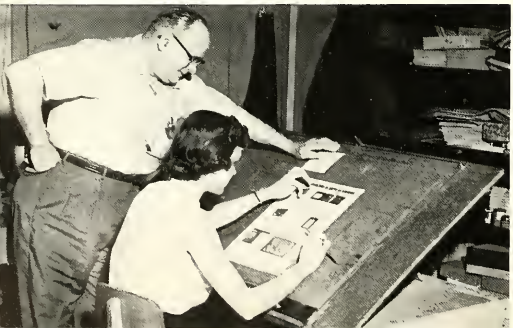
Dick Schrader worked at the Service Tire Co., studying service station management. His trainers were Jim Hall and Jim Hopkins.

Bonnie Barkman worked as a secretary and bookkeeper for M. J. T. Lanham, public accountant.

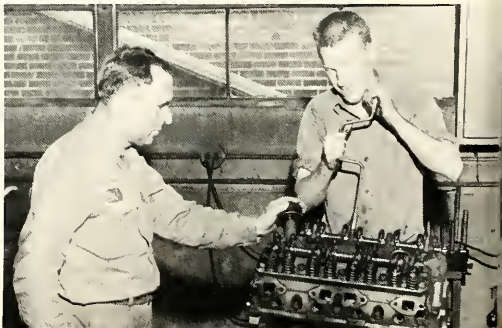
Members of D.C.E. were: **Standing:** Mr. Hodus, Helen Steltenpohl, Dorothy Pollert, Edna Tankersley, Sandra Buster, Patty Barnett, Linda Turner, John Barley, Dick Tuggle. **Seated:** John Feaster, Verna Claycamp, Thelma Mitchell, Sandra Ruddick, Bonnie Barkman, and Nancy Chestnut.

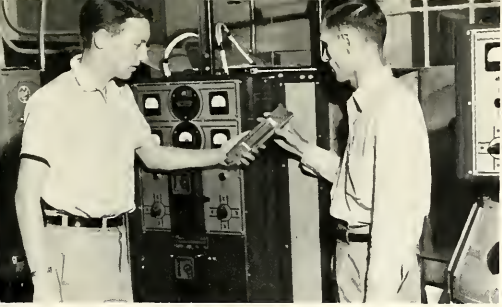
D.C.E. STUDENTS

Susan Carter worked at Dickson's Inc. Susan studied to be a commercial artist doing composing and designing of all their catalogues.



John Burkhart works hard under his trainer.





John Feaster worked at the Grote Mfg. Co. as a chemical engineer. John studied under Mr. Dan Kersten doing research and testing of reflectorizing shuting.

Nancy Chestnut worked for Montgomery and Montgomery Law Office. Her trainer is Mr. Richard Montgomery. She studied to be a secretary to lawyers.

Standing: Mr. Hodus, Carl Hawkins, Richard Schrader, Wayne Findley, Don Rebber, Don Lincoln, Phyllis Tormoehlen, Kathrine Spray, Janet Vance, Clara French, Susan Carter, Linda Green, Frieda Eicher, Betty Brandt, Bonnie Barkman, Mary Lou Killion, Carlene Scheider. **Seated:** Donna Carpenter, Mary Jane Horstman, Tom McGinley, Jonas Smith, Janice Martin and Janet Sutherland.

LEARN VOCATIONS

Working at the Murphy Store on North Chestnut Street were John Baurley and Tom McGinley, studying to be assistant managers. Their manager was Mr. Flynn.

Don Rebber worked at the Brown Chevrolet Garage studying to be an automobile mechanic. His trainer was Oren Shade.

Kathleen Dittman, Marilyn Ebert, Jim Endicott, Myrna Winters, Judy Gilbert, Bob Endicott, Janet Cummings, Marcia Mueller, Micky Ashcraft, Mary Krumme, Mary Alyce Fox Donna Lecker meyer, Beverly Conquest, Sondra Rebber, Mary Jane Mitchell, Mr. Kenneth Chastain.

El que habla dos lenguas vale dos hombres

("He who speaks two languages is worth two men," is the Spanish Club motto.)

Officers of the club were: Martha Short, president; Mary Jane Mitchell, treasurer; Kathleen Dittman, vice-president; Marcia Mueller, program chairman; Sondra Rebber, secretary.

The Spanish Club this year was open to all students studying Spanish or already completing two years of Spanish. The Club met to discuss and study the customs and distinctions of Spain, Mexico, and other Spanish speaking countries in South America and Central America. Movies of these countries were shown, and guests from these other countries were welcomed.

A Christmas party was held for members and their guests, and the traditional "pinata" was broken at the party.

The Spanish Club sponsored a dance after the Greensburg ball game, which was very successful. Proceeds from this dance were used to purchase Spanish Club pins for the members of the club, and also to pay the fee for the entrants of the Spanish contest, held every year.

Members of the club learned a great deal during the year about activities of people who are of another country but now speak a common language of friendship.

The Latin Club, sponsored by Miss L. Grace Anderson, was organized for the purpose of learning about the origin of the Latin language and of Roman Life. Many interesting facts and stories were learned throughout the year that could not be discussed in class. Members of the Latin Club gave plays about the subject of Roman people and several interesting talks about this subject were given during the year. Subjects discussed included athletics, religion, amusements and schools of Rome. Songs were sung at the club meetings, and the members participated in games and contests in the Latin language. The club members worked and played together to learn more about the language they studied. Officers for the second semester were: President, Judy Judd; Vice-President, Nancy Ewing; Secretary, Virginia Barth; Treasurer, Norma Carter; Chorister, Connie Hedden; Program Chairman, Ann Feaster.

Officers for the first semester were: President, Ann Feaster; Treasurer, Pennie Jackson, **seated**; and **standing:** Secretary, Judy Kamman; Chorister, Judy Judd; Vice-President, Thomas Miller, and Program Chairman, Doris Jones.

Facta, Non Verba

("Deeds, not words" was the Latin Club motto.)

Members of the Latin Club were: **Left to right: Row 1:** Doris Jones, Judy Kamman, Pennie Sue Jackson, Tom Miller. **Row 2:** Ann Bulleit, Virginia Barth, Elsie Quinn, Grover Davis. **Row 3:** Betty Bishop, Judy Vierling, Jolene Myers, Tom Parker, Jo Ann Rebber. **Row 4:** Nancy Redicker, Nancy Reahard, Polly Hauenschild, Tommy Jo Carter, Rheba Knott. **Row 5:** Becky Sprunger, Rita Hall, Norma Carter, Phyllis Nolting, Janet Waldkoetter, Phil Miller. **Row 6:** Ronnie Shepherd, Barbara Schroer, Karen Shibe, Don Miller, Lloyd Hudson, Lindley Ruddick, Jerry Botkin. **Standing:** Judy Judd, Ann Feaster, Chris Schnepf, Connie Hedden, Don Ernest, Joyce Ledbetter, Nancy Ewing, and sponsor, Miss L. Grace Anderson.

Row 1, left to right: John Harlow, Ermadene Able, Mr. Chastain, Janet Peters, Denny Rebber, Peggy Hennessy, Tom Dunn, Nancy Martin, Dick Tuggle. **Row 2, left to right:** Janice Frederick, Eunice Wichman, Ann Eicher, Lucille Burbrink, Nancy Chestnut, Marita Terkhorn, Frieda Eicher, Martha Short, Clara Rittman, Sarah Steinker, Janet Bobb, Janet Hawn, Patty Speckner, Judy Osterman, Barbara Ries, and John Lewis.

PATRIOT STAFF Initiates New Ideas

Assistant Editor, Nancy Martin, and Editor Peggy Hennessy.

Leaving their many activities and working on the Patriot, the Seniors of '57 did their best to publish an annual that will bring back many happy memories of "school days" at Shields High School years from now.

Giving up lunch hours, typing on Saturdays, and just plain rushing to meet that next deadline all fell in the line of duty.

Because of the small amount of advertisement needed, more pages were devoted to other activities and special occasions, such as the prom. This is also the first Patriot to have colored pages.

Because the Patriots were not delivered until fall, this enabled the staff to include commencement, baccalaureate, senior week, baseball, track, and many other events in the yearbook.

Several juniors also helped by typing, identifying pictures, and lending a hand when needed.

The staff, sponsored by Mr. Kenneth Chastain, also held a dance to raise money for the yearbook.

EDITORS

Editors, **left to right:** Nancy Martin, picture editor and assistant editor; Denny Rebber, sports editor; Peggy Hennessy, editor; Janet Peters, copy editor.

STAFF

Business Staff, **left to right:** Ermadene Able, Eunice Wichman, Dick Tuggle, Patty Barnett, and Clara Rittman.

Picture Staff, **left to right:** Sarah Steinker, Nancy Chestnut, Nancy Martin, and Janet Bobb.

TYPISTS

Typists, **left to right, front row:** Martha Short, Judy Osterman. **Back row:** Lucille Burbrink, Ann Eicher, and John Lewis.

Row 1, left to right: Larry Eglen, John Dittmer, Phil Jordan, Arthur Watson, Ray Shortridge, Bobbie Tolbert, Connie Zimmerman, Sybil Harmon, Peggy Aiken, Miss Constance Renaker, Judy Patrick, Judy Kamman, Ann Moren, Janice Cooper, Linda Henkle, Judy Gilbert, and Judy Parks. **Row 2, left to right:** Carol Deputy, Peggy Boyles, Norma Carter, Judy Vierling, Phoebe Schnepf, Donna Leckermeyer, Kathleen Dittman, Janet Reed, Sharlene Miller, Nancy Ruddick, Mary Alyce Fox, Eunice Wichman, Sarah Krumme, Pennie Jackson, Sonnie Rebber, Doris Jones, Ginnie Barth, Janet Osterman, Nancy Ewing, Connie James, Nikki Kriete, Dorla Leckermeyer, Linda Bollinger, Judy Coates and Karen Keyes.

OWL STAFF Gained Recognition for Paper

The staff was ably directed by Peggy Aiken, editor-in-chief.

One of the busiest organizations in Shields High School this year was the Owl Staff. They worked hard to publish ten monthly issues during the school year, with two special editions, one at Christmas and the other a dedication to the graduating class of '57.

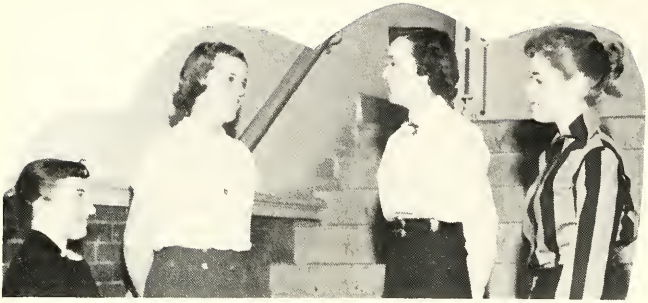
The Owl Staff had several other activities during the year besides publishing the monthly editions. During the sectional the Owl sponsored a mixer after the 3 night games, and a dance after the final game of the Sectional. The 1957 Sectional Queen Contest was also sponsored by the Owl Staff. Miss Constance Renaker was sponsor for the group.

Miss Constance Renaker sponsored the Owl publications.

Advertisement editor, Sarah Krumme, and staff members, Connie Zimmerman, Eunice Wichman, and Barbara Tolbert, are looking at the final results.

Owl Staffs Divide Work

Circulation Staff: Sondra Rebber, Judy Kamman, Beverly McClintock, Sybil Harmon, Mary Alyce Fox, Nancy Ruddick, Donna Leckermeyer, Norma Carter, Judy Vierling.



Janice Martin, vice-president; Judy Osterman, president; Martha Short, secretary; Marita Terkhorn, treasurer.

Junior and senior girls who were members of Commercial Club this past year had a very interesting year.

Early in the year a trip through one of the local banks was enjoyed by many of the members. Candy was also sold by the club members to help raise money for the trip the senior girls took to Indianapolis in the spring.

In February a tea was enjoyed by the members. Miss Laura Schulte and Mrs. Robert Kiel spoke on the planning of wardrobes for girls going into the business world.

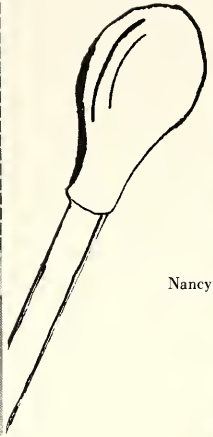
Miss Bernice Foster was sponsor of the club.

COMMERCIAL CLUB Examines Business

Row 1, left to right: Janet Vance, Brenda Byrer, Janet Hawn, Wilma Marsh, Phyllis Tormoehlen, Katherine Spray, Sharlene Miller, Janet Hall, Clara French, Marita Terkhorn, Carol Wichman, Nancy Chestnut, Lucille Burbrink, Judy Osterman.

Row 2, left to right: Martha Short, Ann Eicher, Freida Eicher, Bonnie Barkman, Donna Carpenter, Janice Martin, Susan Carter, Janet Sutherland, Marcia Mueller, Janet Cummins, Nellie Gray, Christine Smith, Miss Bernice Foster.

The drum majorette and twirlers added much snap and interest to the "Marching Owls."



Nancy Martin

DRUM MAJORETTE AND TWIRLERS

Doris Jones

JoAnn Rebber

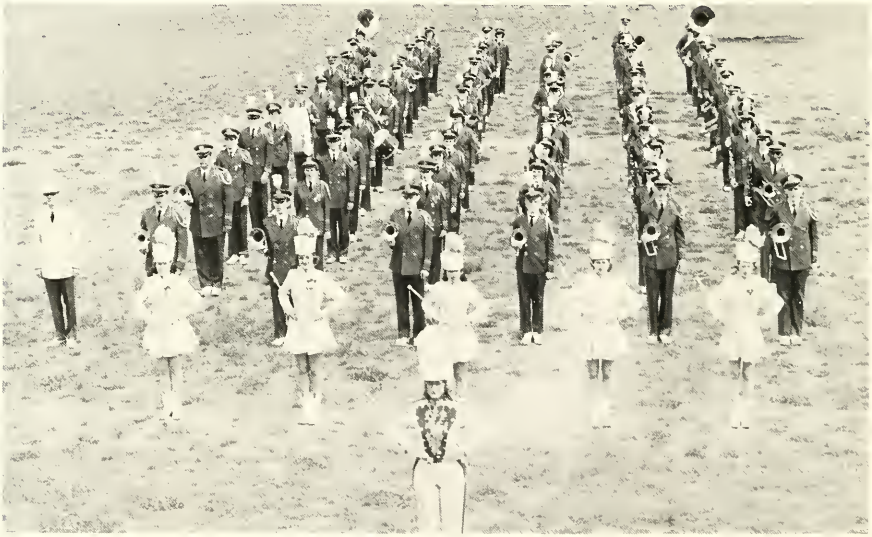
Peggy Hennessy

Kathryn Meyer

Judy Kamman

Row 1: Nancy Turpin, Audra Deputy, Judy Osterman, Patty Harvey, Ronnie Barnes, Sandra Henley, Jolene Myers, Jo Ann Rebber, Judy Patrick, Doris Jones, Pennie Jackson. **Row 2:** Judy Kamman, Kathyrn Meyer, Saundra Allman, Norma Carter, Janet Hawn, Judy Hudson, Dick Snyder, Virginia Barth, Marilyn Anthony, Ronnie Shepherd, Sharlene Miller, Mike Lewis, Dick Shade, Nancy Martin. **Row 3:** Beverly Byrd, Judy Judd, Peggy Boyles, Janice Frederick, Donna Topie, Ann Bulleit, Patty Cox, Tom Miller, Bill Klakamp, Mickey Beck, J. R. Hudson, Bennie King, Don Munden, John Dittmer, Peggy Hennessy, Charles Hanner, Phil Ahlbrand, Jerry Botkin, Jerry Osterman, Tom

S.H.S. BAND HEARD AT



"The Marching Owls" on parade.

Taylor, Judy Vierling, Merlin Bell, Max Tuttle, Denny Myers, Dean Pierson. **Row 4:** Richard Morgan, Denver Schrader, Rita Hall, Kathleen Dittman, Sonnie Rebber, Donna Leckermeyer, Twyla Renecker, Lynn Sutherland, Bill Precht, Freddy Cox, Bobby Myers, Mark Brackemyre, Gene Brethauer, Herman McDougal, Ted Campbell, Raymond Parker, Ed Judd, Dick Gregory, Phil Jordan. **Standing:** Jerry Staley, John Judd, Dennis Klakamp, Bob Bennett, Bob Wolford, Dave Schrader, George Miller, Nick Kestner, Mr. Cofield, director, Jim Abraham, Jack Hildreth, Tom Parker.

MANY SCHOOL AND PUBLIC EVENTS

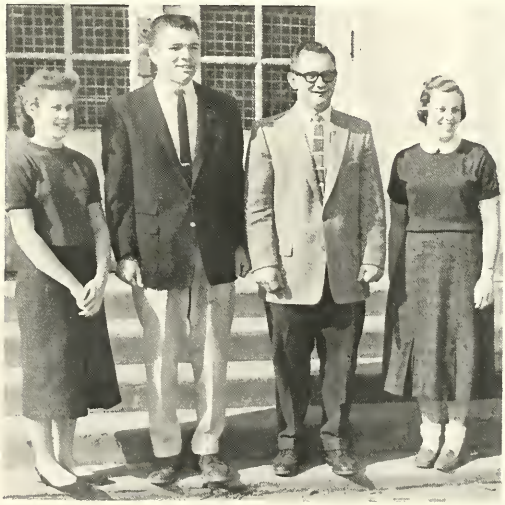
Mr. Frank Cofield directed the Shields High School band through another highly successful year.

During the football season, the band presented half-time shows at all home football games. The band also attended the annual Purdue Band Day.

After football season the band moved into the gym to continue backing the Owls in their athletic contests.

Other activities of the band during the year were attending the Tri-City Festival in North Vernon, giving two concerts, and hosting the Southern Indiana Band Festival. Many of the band members entered the solo and ensemble contest at Hanover, and senior members of the band attended the Good Neighbor Festival at Franklin in the spring.

Money-raising projects through the year were selling concert season tickets and "The World's Finest Chocolate."



Band officers were: Patty Harvey, treasurer; John Dittmer, vice-president; Phil Ahlbrand, president; Judy Osterman, secretary.

Members of the Girl's Ensemble were, **Standing:** Sue Lucas, Esther Polley, Ruth Ann Bode, Janice Frederick, Nancy Turpin, Madonna Morgan, Janet Sutherland, Karen Keyes, and Nikki Kriete. **Seated:** Irma Krumme.

THE SINGING OWLS

Row 1: Mr. J. Stewart Williams, director, Irma Krumme, Sandra VonDielengen, Esther Polley, Sue Lucas, Ruth Ann Bode, Sharon Sutton, Eunice Wichman, Nancy Turpin, Brenda Haws, Janice Frederick, Janet Sutherland, Sandra Smith, Karen Keyes, Madonna Morgan. **Row 2:** Mary Lois Nentrup, Martha Short, Judy Osterman, Connie James, Dorla Leckermeyer, Judy Coates, Carol Wichman, Judy Gilbert, Rheba Knott, Nikki Kriete, Ermadene Able, Mary

The Shields High School Concert Choir, under the direction of Mr. J. Stewart Williams, made several impressive appearances this year. Two concerts were given for the general public, one at Christmas and the other in the spring. The choir gave two convocations for the Shields High School students.

The choir sponsored a coat check at the home basketball games, and in co-operation with the band sold "World's Finest" chocolate bars. Later on in the year a concession stand at the sectional tourney was managed by choir members. The proceeds from these activities were used to finance the choir's annual trip, which was made throughout Indiana in the spring of the year.

Choir officers were: Jim VanOsdol, president; Bob Siefker, vice-president; Janet Peters, secretary; and Judy Parks, treasurer.

PROVIDE EXCELLENT ENTERTAINMENT

Weber, Marita Terkhorn, Margaret Roeger. **Row 3:** Wendell Borcherding, Steve Huffman, Steve Wheeler, Fred Dieckmeyer, Jim Brock, Tom Dunn, Don Schroer, Larry Eglen, Linda Bollinger, Lucille Burbrink, Janet Peters, Gene Brethauer. **Row 4:** Larry Prewitt, Steve Beard, Jerry Ritz, Jim VanOsdol, Kenny Edmonds, Dan Droege, Pat Kelley, Jack Hunter, John Lewis, Jim Endicott, Phil Jordan, Chris Moritz, Ralph Haycraft, Jim Pierce, Paul Gruber.

Members of the girls' choir were, **left to right: Row 1:** Diane Harmon, Connie Zimmerman, Micki Ashcraft, Nancy Reahard, June Steinwedel, Phyllis Nolting, Ninnette Phfister, Queen Ann Caine, Naomi Polley, Connie Carter, Jo Ann Shirley, Karen Shibe, Betty Pollert, Barbara Schroer, Linda Pruitt, and Sandra Linne. **Row 2:** Jane Claycamp, Sandra Stanfield, Sharon Combs, Betty McDougal, Sandra Gottfried, Sarah Krumme, Sandra Knoke, Janet Waldkoetter, Phyllis Moenning, Becky Sprunger, Alberta Kehne, Ann Moren, Janice Cooper, Marcia Cummins, and Doris Lloyd. **Row 3:** Nancy Ewing, Connie Robbins, Delores Sallee, Brenda Alexander, Carolyn Koontz, Connie Hedden, Mary Krumme, Marilyn Ehert, Maeheth Hirtzel, Sandra Owens, Pat Richart, Mary Ries, Sharon Bobb, Karen Wolford, Eileen Findley, Dorothy Stuckwisch. **Row 4:** Vivian Hoeferkamp, Patty Mitchell, Nancy Waldkoetter, Norma Weber, Nancy Redicker, Mary Alyce Fox, Patty Taskey, Jonetta Gregory, Maria Chase, Janet Siefker, Charlene Weller, Diane Gill, Judy French, Sue Topie, Shirley Gottfried, Joy Selfridge, Polly Haunschild.

GIRLS CHOIR and MALE CHOIR Were New

Members of the boys' choir were, **left to right: Row 1:** Mr. J. Stewart Williams, Russell Gregory, Bob Wells, Dave Brooks, Larry Nichalson, Gene Mackey, Floyd Wehrkamp and Nancy Ewing. **Row 2:** Bob Stewart, Phil Miller, Wayne Waggoner, Roger Foster, Jay Ziegler, Gerri McGinley, Dennis Croucher. **Row 3:** Keith Edwards, John Terkhorn, Grover Davis, Ronnie Schrader, John Ray, and Bob Endicott. **Row 4:** Larry Stroud, Dale Nay, Ray Disney, Marlin Wright, Fred Eiler, Bob Perrigo, and John Ferry.

Row 1: Miss Constance Renaker, Roger Hawk, Connie James, Barbara Tolbert, Connie Zimmerman, Sandra Linne, Nancy Reahard, Linda Henkle, Janice Cooper, Ann Moren.
Row 2: Mike Simmons, Linda Bollinger, Beverly McClintock, Nancy Ewing, Phebe Schnepf, Diane Gill, Mary Ries, Karen Shibe, Barbara Schroer, Alberta Kehne.
Row 3: Judy Coates, Judy Gilbert, Norma Carter, Karen Foster, Judy Hertzel, Rita Hall, Pat Richart, Connie Hedden, Polly Hauenschild.
Row 4: Allen Brown, Jolene Myers, Scott Fenton, Ann Bulleit, Judy Vierling, Mickey Ashcraft.

DRAMATICS CLUB Gives Chance to Act

The Dramatics Club was started at the end of the first semester and was sponsored by Miss Constance Renaker. The club was organized to give the students a chance to display some of their abilities and to develop a better background of the theater.

Club officers were: Ann Bulleit, Mike Simmons, Judy Gilbert, and Nancy Ewing.

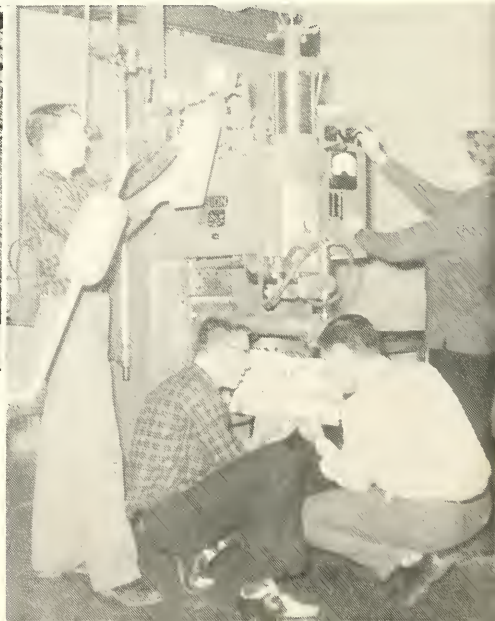
SCIENCE CLUB Travels and Learns

Row 1, left to right: Merlin Bell, Scott Fenton, Chris Moritz, John Harlow, John Feaster, Mike Simmons, David Fox, Tom Taylor, Nick Kestner. **Row 2, left to right:** Mr. Robert Bell, Richard Gregory, Kenny Burrell, Keith Burkholder, Ralph Haycraft, Kenny Montgomery, Don Munden, Ed Martin, Dan Reahard, Janet Peters, Mary Jane Mitchell, Sandra Hercamp, Ermadene Able, Phyllis Siefker, and Karen Keyes.

The Science Club this year held very few of its meetings inside the school proper. The various program committees arranged trips to Allison's Powerama at Indianapolis, Arvin's Research Center at Columbus, Schneck Memorial Hospital, and the new telephone building. All of these trips encouraged the students to continue their work in science and showed them the various fields of science that they might enter.

Movies, a safety program, and a weekly paper, "Current Science," enabled the students to learn more about science in their everyday living. The group was sponsored by Mr. Robert Bell.

Officers of the club were: President, Merlin Bell; Vice-President, Phyllis Siefker; Secretary and Treasurer, Ed Martin, and Program Chairman, Janet Sue Peters.

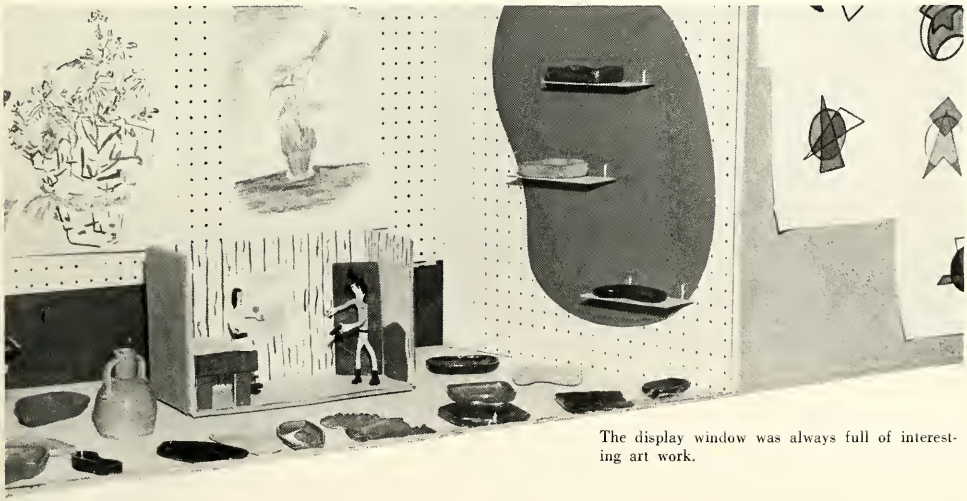


These senior boys seem very interested in this equipment at Arvin's Research Center in Columbus.

The art students worked hard and were intrigued with their projects.

ART CLASSES Decorate the School with Fine Work

Our special thanks to Wayne Findley who designed the cover of our 1957 PATRIOT.



The display window was always full of interesting art work.

Left to right, bottom row: Doris Jones, Mary Mitchell, Sondra Rebber, Judy Patrick, Kathleen Dittman, Judy Kamman, Pennie Sue Jackson, Phebe Schnepf, Diana Ferris, Becky Eversole, and Marcia Cummins. **Left row, top to bottom:** Janice Martin, Janet Hawn, Barbara Tolbert, Virginia Barth, Janet Osterman, Rheba Knott. **Right row, top to bottom:** Ermadene Able, Janice Frederick, Judy Hawkins, Naomi Hildebrand, Patty Franklin. Seated are sponsors, Miss Fosbrink and Miss Janet Peters.

TRI-HI-Y Emphasized Helping Others

The officers were, **left to right:** Ermadene Able, chaplain; Mary Jane Mitchell, treasurer; Lillie E. Fosbrink, sponsor; Janet Hawn, secretary; Patty Barnett, vice-president; Janice Martin, president.

The Tri-Hi-Y under the sponsorship of Miss Lillie Fosbrink and co-sponsor Miss Janet Peters spent an active year keeping the trophy case sparkling clean and fixing baskets of food for needy families at Thanksgiving and Christmas. An outstanding project performed by the Tri-Hi-Y was the support for the RIAL program. The girls at Shields High were urged to keep a record of their church attendance during the month of December.

The Tri-Hi-Y has carried out its purpose to create, maintain, and extend throughout the home, school, and community high standards of Christian character.

Officers were, **left to right:** Bill Nolting, sergeant at arms; Gene Heiwig, chaplain; James VanOsdol, president; Dan Droege, treasurer; Bill Cummins, secretary; Merlin Bell, vice-president.

The main purpose of the Hi-Y was to create, maintain, and extend throughout the school, home, and community, high standards of Christian character.

Members of the Hi-Y continued their activities this year by sponsoring a dance after the Martinsville football game, which was the Homecoming for band members, decorating the Christmas tree in the main hall in December and taking up a collection for the Heart Fund at the last home basketball game against Greensburg.

Mr. Harry Unger was sponsor of the group.

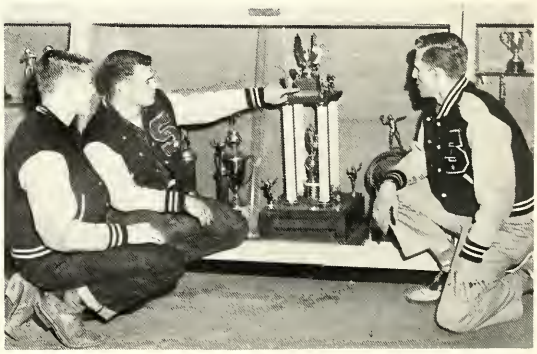
HI-Y Practiced High Standards

Sponsors: Mr. Harry Unger and Mr. Marvin McMillin. Members: Jim VanOsdol, Merlin Bell, Dan Droege, Ray Disney, Gene Heiwig, Bill Cummins, Mickey Beck, Bill Nolting.

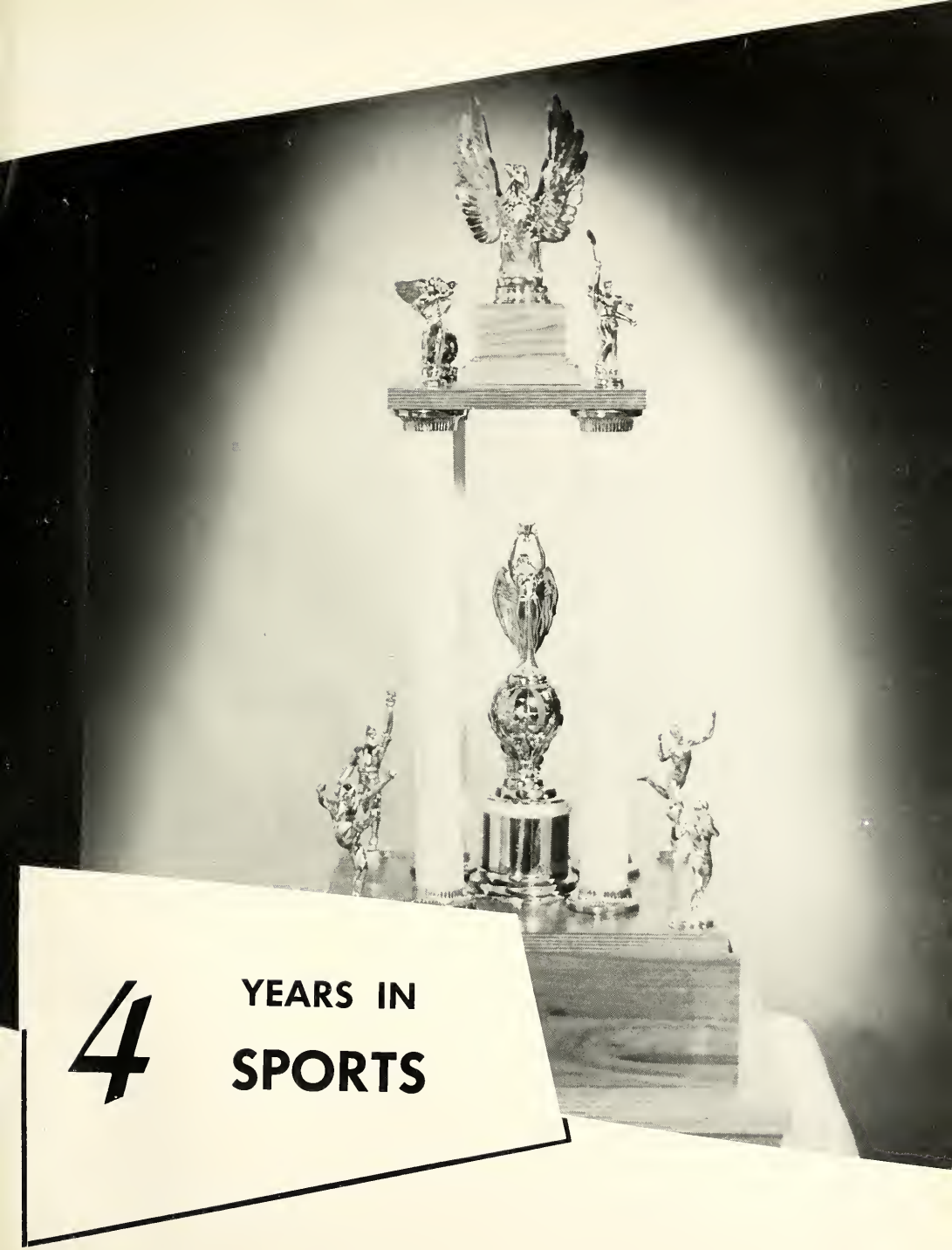
LETTERMENS CLUB

Members of the club were, **front to back:** Mr. David Shaw, Dick Tuggle, Lanny Bogard, Bob Myers, Tom Dunn, Don Schroer, Larry Eglen, Gene Bollman, Max Norris, Ray Disney, Mark Hill, Bill Nolting, Don Kieser, Nick Kestner, Mickey Beck, Jerry Armstrong, George Miller, Leonard Wells, Bill Hazzard, Kenny Montgomery, Stanley Dittmer, Bernie Schroer, John Sullivan, Ed Spray, Bill Dollens, Jim Endicott, Karlton Pool, Jack Hunter, Ross Maschino, Jeff Schrink, Dee Jay Keller, Pat Kelly, Howard Osborne, Harold Weddell, John Dittmer, Harold Ross, Ed Judd, Bill Cummins, Dan Droege, Kenny Edmonds, Franklin Riley, John Harlow, Steve Surface, Mike Simmons, Dennis Rebber, Mr. Walter Wintin.

The Lettermen of Shields High belonged to an extra large club this year. The club was very active in producing the athletes of the '56-'57 school term. The club helps to promote the Junior High athletic program every year by charging admission for the Junior High and freshman basketball games. The money collected was for the fund which helps the Junior High to buy athletic equipment. Officers of this year's Lettermen's Club were Bill Nolting, Dick Tuggle, and Denny Rebber.



Bill, Dick, and Denny admire the all-sports trophy won in "56."



4 YEARS IN SPORTS

All set for action.

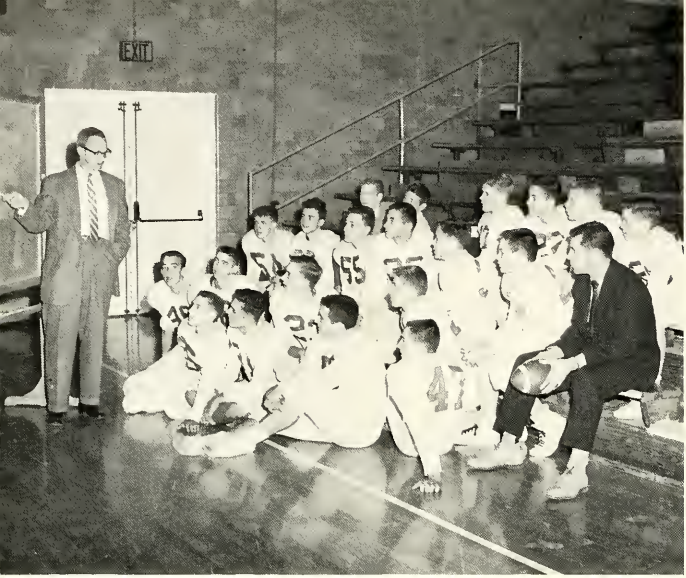
CHEERLEADERS

The yell-leaders cheered the Owl basketball team through a very successful season to the semi-state at Evansville. They also led yells at the football games. The girls were chosen by the student body. Pauline was a newcomer but caught on fast. The other girls were veterans with at least one year of experience.

Here are our yell-leaders, **left to right,** Brenda Sciarra, Pauline Curry, and Karen Keyes.

SCHEDULE

	S.H.S.	Opp.
North Vernon	14	14
Southport	0	33
Columbus	0	13
Rushville	6	26
Connersville	6	40
Crispus Attucks	0	13
Martinsville	28	6
Aurora	6	20
Jeffersonville	0	13



Games are often won or lost in the planning sessions. Here Coach Shaw outlines plays.

Although our football season in '56 was not as triumphant as the one in '55, we still were proud of the marked improvement which the team showed. With only a few returning lettermen and the new gridders, the coach formed a new team which fought hard all the way. It wasn't fun to lose, but the students of S. H. S. appreciated the efforts of the team and backed it all the way.

Dick Tuggle and Howard Osborne were selected for the all-conference team with Bill Nolting, Pat Kelley, and Denny Rebber receiving honorable mention. The Lions Club honored Bill Nolting with the outstanding Senior Player Award.

VARSITY Worked Hard . . . . . .

Jay Mellencamp

Bill Hazzard

Bill Nolting

Mark Hill

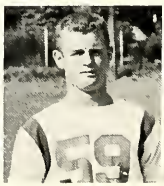
Max Norris

Kenny Edmonds

Steve Surface

Howard Osborne

Dick Tuggle



Pat Kelley

Denny Rebber

Where's that ball?

Heading strategy were the assistant coaches, Mr. Donald Keane and Mr. Walter Wintin, and head coach, Mr. Dave Shaw.

Gave Best for S.H.S.

Jeff Schrink

Paul Hollenbeck

Jim Endicott

Joe Johnson

Don Schroer

Bill Dollens

Tiny Ross

Ed Judd

George Miller

Larry Brooks

Harold Weddel

Topsy-turvy world, isn't it.

Our reserve team started slowly, but by the middle of the season they were building up a wonderful reputation. They certainly profited by their mistakes—for after losing their first 3 games, they came back to score 3 victories for S. H. S. Backfield man Paul Hollenbeck scored the most touchdowns; while Ronald Otte was considered the most improved player by the coaches.

Hit that line.

We'll get him yet.

Reserves Come Back

Ron Nowling

Don Kieser

Lanny Bogard

Jim Smith

Pat Burke

Curley Bennett

Nick Kestner

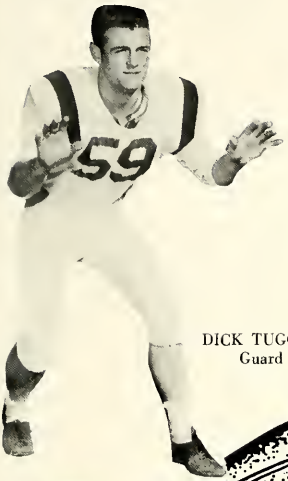
Gerald Lucas

Roger Voss

Jerry Marsh

Bill Cummins

SENIORS



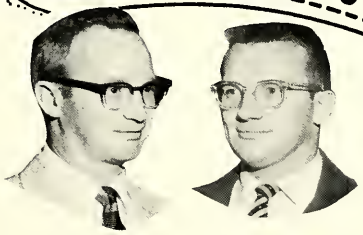
DICK TUGGLE
Guard

HAL WEDDLE
End

BILL NOLTING
Quarterback

KENNY EDMONDS
End

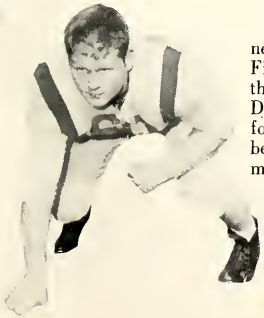
DENNY REBBER
End



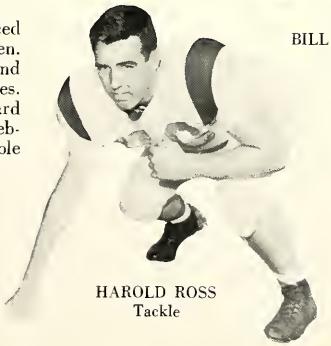
COACH SHAW COACH WINTIN

BILL CUMMINS
End

These eight seniors will be replaced next year, but they will not be forgotten. Five of the gridders were regulars, and the other three were capable substitutes. Dick Tuggle was chosen first team guard for the S. C. C. Team, while Denny Rebber and Bill Nolting received honorable mention.



GEORGE MILLER
Tackle



HAROLD ROSS
Tackle

Members of the team were: **Left to right, Row 1:** Manager Russell Allman, Steve Hawn, Ed Sanford, John Ashcraft, Joe Hartsell, Bob Endicott, Tony Davis, Bobby Parkerson, Jerry Botkin, Manager Charles Sutton and Coach Donald Keane. **Row 2:** Joe Gili, Fred Eiler, Martin Wright, John Ferry, David Brooks, Pete Vance, Charley Trowbridge, Steve James, Tom O'Conner, Grover Davis, Steve Weineke.

FRESHMEN Have Fine Season

Excellent team spirit was a determining factor in the success of this freshman team. They triumphed over all except one opponent. This fine experience in freshman football will make these boys all the tougher when they meet varsity competition in the years to come. Yes, the football future looks bright at S. H. S.

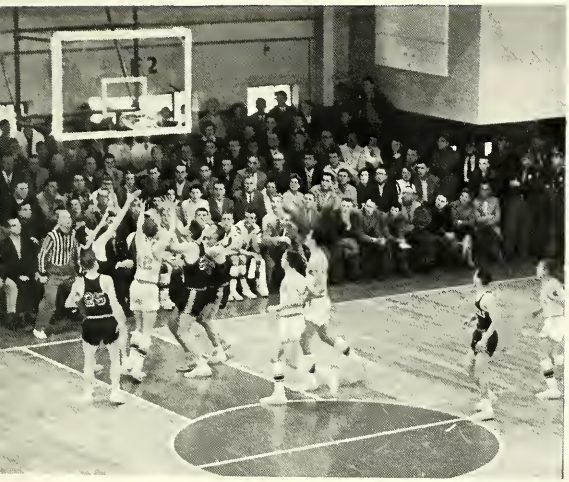
Always around to lend a helping hand were varsity managers, **left to right:** Eugene Mahony, Tom Taylor, and Herman McDougal.

OWLS WIN

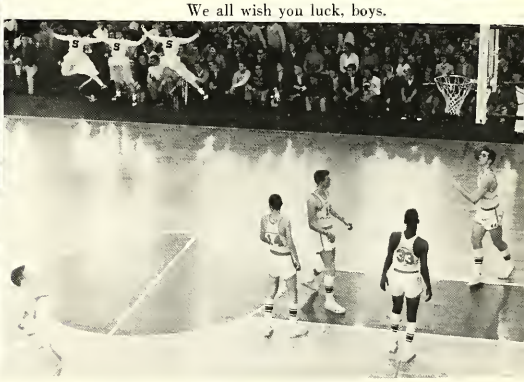
First Regional

In 25 Years

We all wish you luck, boys.



Mark up 2 for Seymour!



Go! Seymour, go!

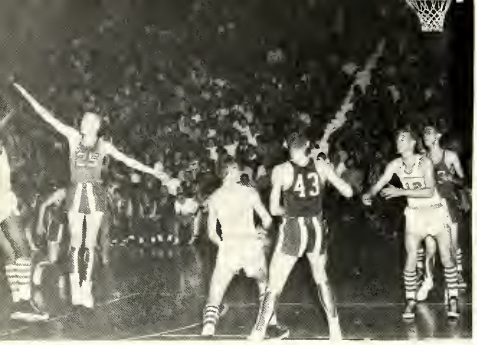
After 25 years — victory!

Don't call the fire department we're celebrating!

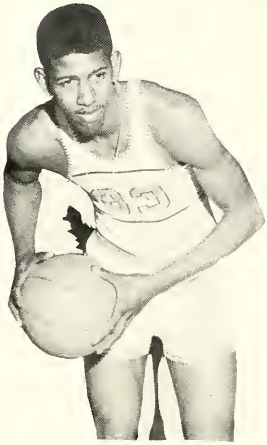
VARSITY Win

The Seymour Owls made Seymour an Owl's nest this year by winning a regional crown. The Owls celebrated their regional crown with a bonfire and a meal at the Ritz. The Owls buckled down to play Gertsmyer, but the Terre Haute boys were just too big and too good for the Owls to handle.

The Owls had a fine season and a fine ball club. Last year



Edmonds scores again.



Kenny Edmonds — Forward

Larry Eglen — Guard

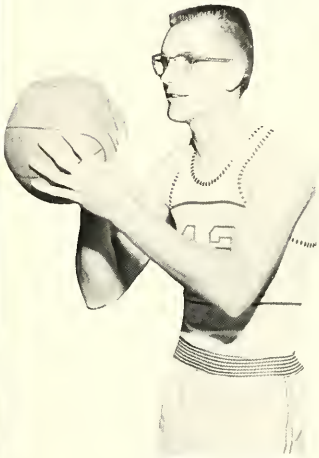
Row 1, left to right: Johnny Judd, Mickey Beck, Don Schroer, Larry Eglen. **Row 2:** Harold Weddell, Joe Johnson, Jim Smith.

Way to Fame

the Owls lost all but one regular and the chips were down. The boys drifted during the first half of the season not knowing whether they were a ball club or not. However a little threat of recruiting by a wonderful coach brought the boys to life, and they decided to win a few. Confidence can go a long way. Ask any member of the squad.

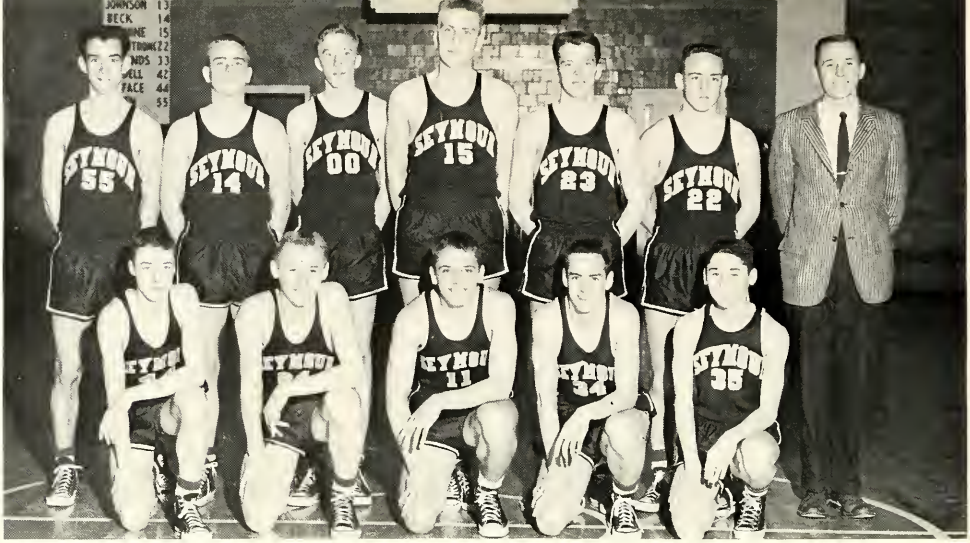
Row 3: Pat Kelley, Howard Osborne, Kenny Edmonds, Coach Jim Deputy, Steve Surface, Jerry Armstrong, Denny Rebber.

Denny Rebber — Center



Hal Weddell — Forward

A tense moment for all basketball fans — up and in!



Left to right, kneeling: Bob Myers, Jim Smith, Joe Johnson, Mark Hill, Richard Bottorf. **Standing:** Ronald Bennett, Mike Hall, Raymond Parker, Ronald Otte, Kay Pool, Pat Burke.

RESERVES Look to Next Year

Action gets under way with Jerry going up for a high tip off.

The second team had an excellent instructing season with Coach Scott. Next year the second team has to be varsity material and top-notch instruction on the reserve team is very necessary. The Reserves developed some fine material in three boys who were moved to the varsity during the last part of the season. The reserves enjoyed traveling with the varsity and had a thrilling experience. The reserves had no standout player and no one knew who would be hitting. The reserves had height and reserve strength.

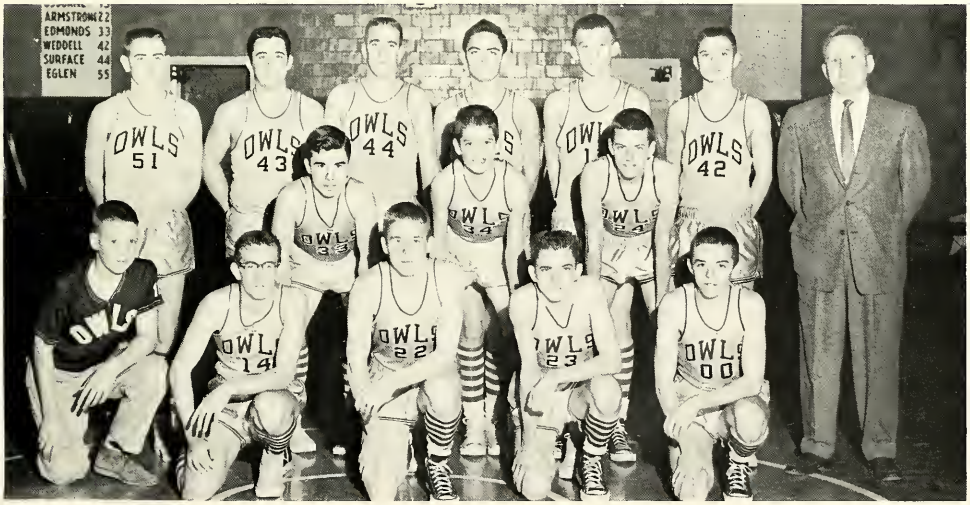
They ended with an 11 won and 9 loss record for the '56-'57 season.

The Freshman team was strong in reserve power this year. Four freshmen were moved to the reserve team, and Coach Becker had to dig deeper into his bench strength to come up with four newcomers to fill the starting positions. The fellows realized the situation and stepped right in. The team showed great potential, and the players enjoyed the season.

They ended with a record of 13 wins and 7 losses, including three losses by one point.

Managers for the teams were John Lewis and Dale Stockoff.

FRESHMEN Have Fine Season



Row 1, left to right: Chris Schnepf, Pete Vance, John Ferry, Bill Nichter, John Judd. **Row 2:** Fred Cox, Jim Browning, Steve Griffith. **Row 3:** Bob Endicott, Marlin Wright, Dale Nay, John Ashcraft, Dave Schrader, Ronnie Bennett, and Mr. Becker.

Row 1: John Ashcraft, Joe Gili, Marlin Wright, John Ferry, Bill Nichter, Maurice Jarret, Fred Eiler, Pete Vance. **Row 2:** Steve James, Don Kieser, Kay Pool, Roger Hawk, Mark Hill, Ross Maschino, Ed Spray, Jim Endicott. **Row 3:** Coach McMillin, Gene Ballman, Steve Surface, Gerald Lucas, Bill Nolting, Dee Jay Keller, Bob Siefker, Jerry Armstrong, Coach Shaw. **Row 4:** Coach Whiteman, Kit Moritz, Dick Morgan, Bob Endicott, Bill Brandt, Joe Hertzel, Dick Tuggle, Kenny Edmonds.

TRACK TEAM Finishes Second in SCC

Up and over!

Coach Shaw looks on as Ross, Kenny, Dee Jay, Jerry, and Gene take their positions at the starting line.

The Cross Country Team finished its most successful season in its four years here at S. H. S. After starting off slowly, losing meets to Martinsville and Franklin, Seymour won its own second Annual Invitational meet from the nine participating schools. Led by Larry Eglen, the Owls went on to win the conference championship and then place second in the sectional. After qualifying for the state by its finish in the sectional, the Owls finished nineteenth in the state. A splendid showing!

Larry Eglen was the outstanding runner, winning all but three of the races he ran. The team only loses three men so watch out for our team next year!

Larry Eglen, captain of the cross country team, displays the trophy which he helped the team to win by setting a new mark in the South Central Conference.

CROSS COUNTRY Team Goes to State

Left to right: Kenny Montgomery, Bernie Schroer, Edward Spray, Ross Maschino, Larry Eglen, Roger Hawk, John Lewis, Jerry Armstrong, Mickey Beck, and Coach Roy Whiteman.

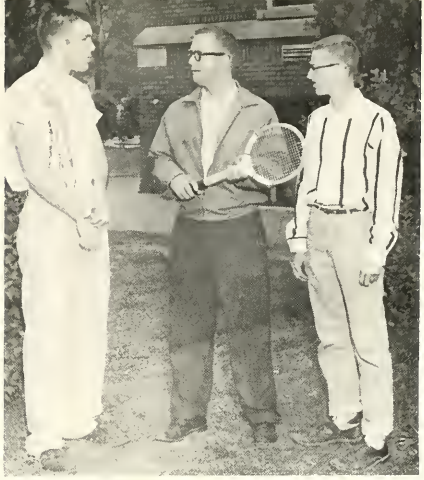
The members of the golf team were: John Moore, Curt Bruce, Rick Scherer, Raymond Parker, Steve Hoffar, Jimmy Biggs, Larry Eglen and Mr. Englehardt, coach.

GOLF TEAM Placed High in Conference

Larry Eglen, the team captain, tries for par.

This year's golf team gave a good report of themselves. After placing second in the conference they came back to do a good job in the spring. The team was young and powerful, losing the conference by only one stroke. Golf is one of the two season sports which are played spring and fall.

Two seniors, two sophomores, one junior, and two freshmen participated on the tennis team this year. Since many of the players will be veterans, next year's team should be a good one. Mike Lewis and David Fox made the trips to substitute in case of an emergency. The tennis team finished its season with three wins, three losses, and a tie for third with Jeff.



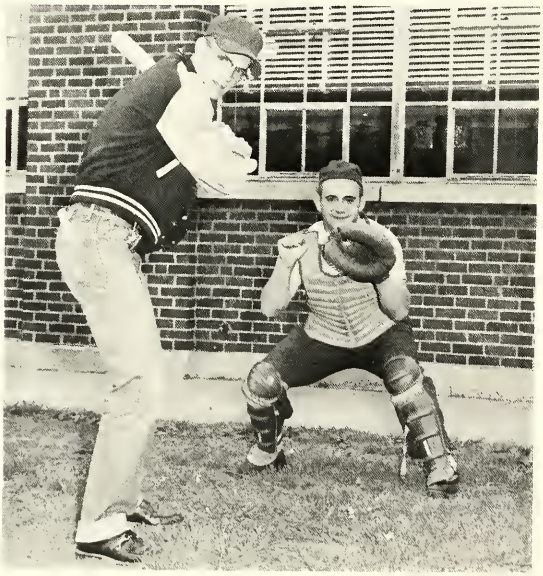
Bob Myers, the team captain, talks with John Dittmer and Phil Ahlbrand, four-year tennis men.

NETTERS Have a Good Season

Members of the tennis team were, **Standing:** Bob Myers, Carl Rush, Stanley Dittmer, Dale Nay, Mike Lewis, and their coach, Mr. Scott. **Front row:** Earl Steltenpohl, and David Fox.

Members of the baseball squad were, **Row 1, left to right:** Jerry Weddell, John Judd, Terry Henley. **Row 2:** John Dittmer, Bob Taylor, Harold Ross, Dave Schrader, Steve Gill, John Lewis, Hal Weddell. **Row 3:** Coach Jim Deputy, Jim Smith, Mickey Beck, Steve Griffith, Joe Johnson, Bernie Schroer, Gus Ahlbrand, Don Schroer, and Coach Walt Wintin.

1957 DIAMOND MEN Finish Well



After a slow start the baseball team developed into a powerful, hardhitting ball club. This rather young team has become an experienced and sharp-looking club. They showed real stamina and shrewd handling in the last few ball games.

Although Coach Deputy retired, he left behind a good ball club which should prove hard to handle next year. So look out for a good baseball team next year.

Co-captains of the baseball team were: Hal Weddell and Gus Ahlbrand who were both 4-year men on the S.H.S. ball club.

Row 1: Sandy Knoke, Janet Waldkoetter, Phyllis Nolting, Marilyn Ebert, Tommy Carter, Mary Krumme, Charlene Weller, Barbara Tilley, Queen Ann Caine. **Row 2:** Rita Hall, Sandra Gottfried, Pat Richart, Mickey Ashcraft, Norma Carter, Ann Bulleit, Judy Vierling, June Steinwedel, Barbara Willman, Donna Leckermeyer. **Row 3:** Nancy Ledbetter, Sharon Callahan, Marlene Ollis, Mary Southwick, Karen Shibe, Barbara Schroer, Polly Haunschild, Connie Hedden, Jolene Myers, Marilyn Otte, Sharon Bobb, Beth Sullivan. **Row 4:** Beverly Conquest, Carolyn Borcherding, Mary Alyce Fox, Jonetta Gregory, Sherry Cornett, Diane Gill, Nancy Reahard, Vivian Hoeferkamp, Linda Prewitt, Nancy Redicker, Mary Ries, Sandra Owens. **Row 5:** Betty McDougal, Madonna Morgan, Joanne Shirley, Alberta Kehne, Karen Wolford, Pat Taskey, Nancy Ruddick, Janet Hopper, Dixie Tidd, Carol Bridgewater, Eileen Findley.

FRESHMEN Show Spirit and Sportsmanship

Basketball was one of their favorite activities.

G.A.A. officers were Patty Barnett, Patty Harvey, Janet Bobb, Martha Short.

Row 1: Judy Kamman, Pennie Jackson, Doris Grein, Judy Hirtzel, Becky Eversole, Linda Bollinger, Janet Stockelman, Janice Cooper, Betty Bobb, Jane Claycamp, Sandra Stanfield, Judy Hudson. **Row 2:** Judy Judd, Karen Foreman, Sharon Combs, Brenda Alexander, Patty Cox, Norma Weber, Rheba Knott, Faye Marcum, Diana Ferris, Ann Feaster, Kay Sterling. **Row 3:** Iva Boas, Marcia Cummins, Janet Osterman, Virginia Barth, Nancy Ewing, Doris Jones, Katie Dittman, Judy Patrick, Pauline Curry. **Row 4:** Martha Short, Janet Sutherland, Patty Harvey, Phyllis Tormoehlen, Ann Moren Peggy Boyles, Irma Krumme.

UPPERCLASSMEN Add Ability to Activity

The Girl's Athletic Association, sponsored by Miss Amelia Taylor, was very active in all types of sports this year. Some of the best-liked activities included bowling during the winter and softball in the spring of the year.

Freshman initiation for all new members who had become eligible was held in the spring of the year with the Seniors officiating. The girls enjoyed the competition and sportsmanship and learned a great deal from the variety of activities, as well as improving their skills and their physical fitness. G.A.A. served as an outlet for our excess energy, as well as an enjoyable way to have fun.

Janet hit a long one.

4 YEARS WITH FACULTY

Mr. Robert Bulleit served as superintendent of the Seymour Community Schools for his third year. He and the school board met regularly to solve the school's problems and plan for the new high school.

Mr. Robert Bulleit, superintendent, directed our school community.

Mr. Bulleit and the Board Planned For Us

The members of the school board: Mr. Granger Smith, Mr. Everett Donica, Mr. Rodman Prewitt, Mr. Herman Norris, and Mr. Lester Swengel, along with the superintendent, formed the unseen governing power of our school.

Mr. Joseph Cull efficiently headed S.H.S. as principal again this year. He was assisted in the office by Mrs. Helen Eglen and Mrs. Betty Ward.

Mr. Joseph Cull, Principal
Indiana State Teachers College, B. S.
Purdue University, M. S.

The Office Provided Friendly Service

We shall not attempt to determine the value of our office personnel. Mrs. Helen Eglen and Mrs. Betty Ward were always ready to help us in any way possible.

L. GRACE ANDERSON: Latin, English —Indiana University—AB, AM; University of Colorado; American Workshop; Miami University; Purdue Workshop.

JAMES F. BECKER: Mechanical Drawing—Ball State—BS, MA; Freshman Basketball Coach.

ROBERT R. BELL: Electronics, Chemistry, Physics—Manchester College—AB; Indiana University—MS.

MARY ALICE BRUNER: Social Studies — Earlham College — AB; Ohio State University — MA; Yale University.

KENNETH CHASTAIN: Spanish, English—Spanish Club Sponsor; Junior Class Sponsor; Patriot Sponsor; Franklin College; Indiana University —BS.

FRANK D. COFIELD: Instrumental Music—Indiana University—BPSM; Peabody College — MM; Ball State; Purdue University.

JAMES F. DEPUTY: Basketball and Baseball Coach, Physical Education—Butler University—BS; Indiana University.

J. AVERY DITTMER: Mathematics, Drivers Education—Franklin College —AB; Indiana University—MS: Purdue University; Butler University.

MARVIN W. DYER: Commercial Studies, Senior Class Sponsor — Indiana University — BS, MS; University of Illinois; Indiana University

V. B. EVERDON: Social Studies—Indiana State Teachers College—BS; Butler University; Indiana University.

LILLIE E. FOSBRINK: English — Moores Hill College — BS; Indiana University—AB, AM; Boston University.

BERNICE FOSTER: Commercial Studies — Western College; Indiana State —AB; Indiana University—MCS.

JOE D. GILI: Health, Physical Education, Drivers Education — Western Kentucky State Teachers College — BS; Indiana University—MS; Wood Shop.

HENRY J. HODUS: DCE. Director of Adult Education—Alliance Technical Institution; Indiana University; Purdue University—BS, MS.

CHARLES R. HUNTERMAN: Art — Ball State Teachers College—BS, MA; University of Colorado; John Herron Art School.

DONALD B. KEANE: Social Studies, Jr. High Football and Basketball Coach, Assistant Football Coach — Iowa State University—BS.
NELSON P. LEWIS: Vocational Agriculture—Purdue University—BS, MS.
MINA McHENRY: English, Senior Class Sponsor — Earlham College — AB; Columbia University—AM; The American University; Miami University.

MARVIN R. McMILLIN: Biology—Indiana State Teachers College—BS.
HILDEGARDE MONTGOMERY: Library Supervisor — Whitmer's Business College; Nurses' Training; Indiana University Extension.
JANET PETERS: Home Economics — Purdue University—BS.

DONALD PURCELL: Mathematics — Ball State Teachers College—BS.
CONSTANCE JANE RENAKER: Language Arts and Physical Education—Indiana State—BS; Owl Sponsor.
CARRIE O. RYAN: Cafeteria Supervisor, Home Economics—Indiana State —BS; Butler University; Earlham College; Indiana University.

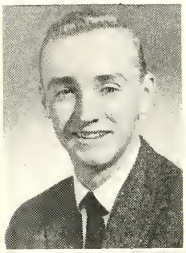
DALE B. SCOTT: Biology, Health, Driver Education — Indiana University—BS; Head Tennis Coach; Assistant Basketball Coach.
PEARL SHAFFER: Vocational Home Economics—Indiana State—BS; Columbia University—MA.
DAVID R. SHAW: Football Coach, Track Coach, Athletic Director. Commercial Studies, Physical Ed.—Indiana Central College — BS; Purdue University; Indiana University; Butler University.

WILLMA ROSE SMITH: Supervisor of Health and Hygiene—Indiana University—RN, BS, MS; Washington University, St. Louis.
ELWOOD SWITZER: Vocational Machine Shop — Duke University; Ball State—BS.
AMELIA TAYLOR: Physical Education — Purdue University — BS; Indiana University—MS.

ANNETTE K. TEST: Attendance Officer—Western College—AB; Indiana University.

HARRY UNGER: Mathematics — Indiana State Teachers College — AB; Purdue University; Indiana University Workshop.

ALICE WALTERS: Librarian—Indiana University; Butler University.



KENNETH N. WARBRITTON: English — Wabash College — AB; University of Wisconsin; Indiana State Teachers College; Butler University; Indiana University.

ROY S. WHITEMAN: Commercial Studies — Cross Country Coach, Assistant Track Coach—Indiana University—BS.

WALTER M. WINTIN: Commercial Studies, Health, Physical Education, Assistant Football Coach, Junior High Basketball Coach, Mathematics—Indiana State Teachers College—BS.

J. STEWART WILLIAMS: Vocal Music —University of Louisville—BM; Indiana University.

Miss Gladys Gilpen, Dean of Girls
Ball State Teachers College, B. S. and M. S.

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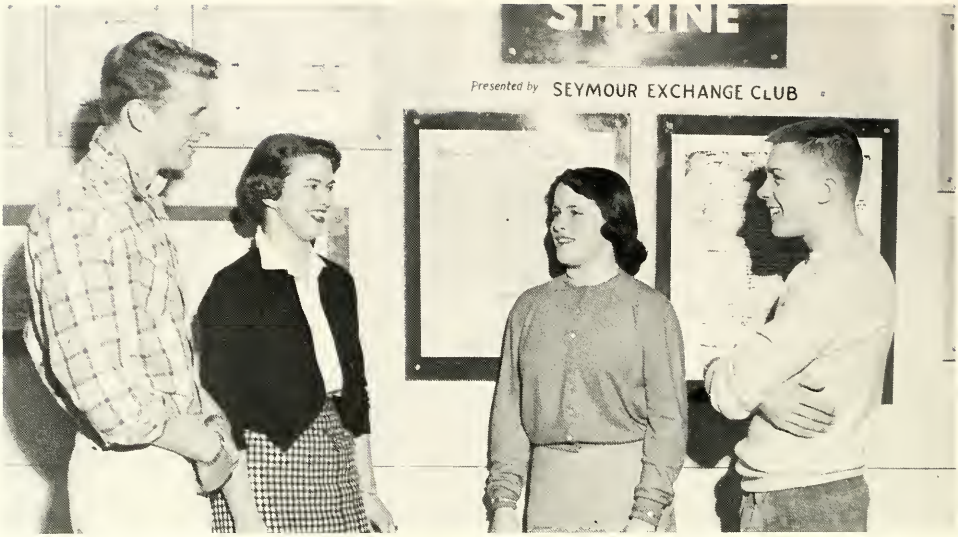
Seniors



Senior Officers, **left to right:** Denny Rebber, vice president; Nancy Chestnut, treasurer; Peggy Hennessy, secretary, and Bill Nolting, president.

SENIORS Climax H.S. Career

The Senior Officers served capably through the year, working together to head and direct our class in its activities and projects. They did a fine job representing our class, and helped us in every way they could.

The Seniors had four sponsors this year to help them in their projects to make money for the class. Head sponsor was Mr. Marvin Dyer, who was also in charge of selling Basketball Schedule pencils and Christmas Cards. Miss Renaker was in charge of the Senior Class Play given in the fall of the year. Mr. Everdon took care of the Seniors who worked at the concession stands throughout the basketball season. Miss McHenry helped the Seniors plan Class Day and the Class Dinner given at the close of the year. These sponsors were greatly appreciated this year as they generously gave of their time and talents to help the seniors.

Senior sponsors, **left to right:** Mr. Marvin Dyer, Miss Mina McHenry, Miss Constance Renaker, and Mr. Victor Everdon.

SENIORS

MARY ERMADENE ABLE—(academic) Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4 (president 3, chaplain 4); State Math Contest 1, 2; Patriot Staff 4 (business editor); Science Club 3, 4; Latin Club 3, 4.

PHILIP JOHN AHLBRAND—(academic) Band 1, 2, 3, 4 (vice-president 3, president 4); Concert Choir 1, 2; Student Council 2, 3, 4 (vice-president 3, president 4); Hi-Y 3, 4; Dramatics Club 2.

PEGGY ILA AIKEN—(general) Owl Staff 1, 2, 4 (editor 4); Concert Choir 2; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3; Quill and Scroll 2, 4; Dramatics Club 2.

GENE BALLMAN—(general) Lettermen's Club 3, 4; Cross Country 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4.

BONNIE S. BARKMAN—(commercial) Commercial Club 3, 4; D.C.E. 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3; G.A.A. 1.

PATRICIA BARNETT—(clerical) Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4 (vice-president 3, 4); G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4 (vice-president 4); Senior Class Play; Patriot Staff 4; Commercial Club 3, 4.

JOHN E. BAURLE—(general) D.C.E. Club 4.

RUBY E. BEAVERS—(academic) Latin Club 1, 2.

MERLIN GENE BELL—(general) Latin Club 1, 2 (president 2); Hi-Y 2, 3, 4 (vice-president 4); Science Club 3, 4 (president 4); Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 2, 3.

JANET LOUISE BOBB—(academic) Concert Choir 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4 (treasurer 4); Patriot Staff 4; Student Council 1; Owl Staff 3.

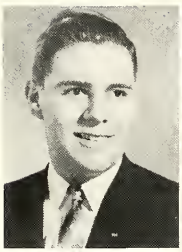
LANNY BOGARD—(general) Band 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3.

LA DONNA S. BOOKER—(general) G.A.A. 1, 2, 3.

BETTY M. BRANDT—(general) Spanish Club 1, 2 (secretary 2); D.C.E. 4; G.A.A. 1, 2.

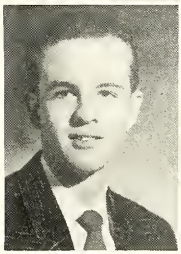
LUCILLE E. BURBRINK—(academic) Patriot Staff 4; Concert Choir 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4 (secretary 3); Girls' Ensemble 3, 4; Class Play (student manager).

JOHN S. BURKHART—(general) Spanish Club 1; Science Club 3, 4.

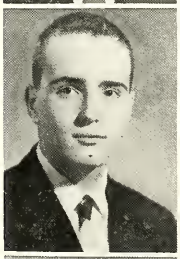


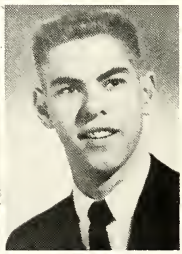
KEITH BURKHOLDER — (academic) Spanish Club 1, 2; Science Club 3, 4.
BEVERLY SUE BYRD—(academic) F.T.A. 4; Spanish Club 2; Latin Club 1; Band 1, 2, 3, 4.
BRENDA LEE BYRER—(clerical) G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 4; Spanish Club 1, 2; Patriot Staff 4; Owl Staff 4.

JERRY BYERS—(general) Hayden High 1, 2, 3; Class Play 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3.
DONNA SUE CARPENTER—(commercial) Commercial Club 3, 4; D.C.E. 4; G.A.A. 3.
SUSAN ANN CARTER—(general) Commercial Club 3, 4; D.C.E. 4.



TERRY W. CHAMP—(general) Football 2; Band 1; Booster Club 1, 3.
NANCY J. CHESTNUT—(commercial) Class Officer (secretary 3, treasurer 4); D.C.E. 4 (president 4); Class Play 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Commercial Club 4.
VERNA CLAYCAMP—(clerical) D.C.E. 4 (vice-president).





WILLIAM E. CUMMINS—(academic) Football 3, 4; Track 3; Lettermen's Club 3; Hi-Y 3, 4; Science Club.
AUDRA ANN DEPUTY—(clerical) Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Patriot Staff 4.
FREDRICK E. DIECKMEYER—(academic) Concert Choir 2, 3, 4; Class Play 4.

RAY ALLEN DISNEY—(general) Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Basketball (student manager 2, 3); Football (student manager 2, 3, 4); Lettermen's Club 2, 3, 4; Track (student manager 2).
JOHN A. DITTMER—(academic) Tennis 1, 2, 3; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4; Owl Staff 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4.
LUWANNA DONNELLS—(general) G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1.

DAN C. DROEGE—(academic) Concert Choir 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1, 2; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3; Cross Country 1, 3.
THOMAS EDWIN DUNN—(academic) Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4 (vice-president 4); Spanish Club 1, 2 (president 2); Tennis 3; Class Play 3, 4; Lettermen's Club 4.
KENNETH MONTA EDMONDS—(general) Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1; Track 2, 3, 4; Concert Choir 2, 3, 4.

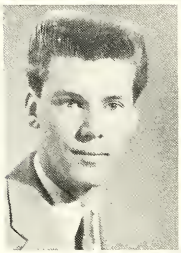
LARRY EGGERSMAN—(industrial arts) Basketball 1; Football 1.
LARRY K. EGLEN—(academic) Golf 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3 (varsity 4); Cross Country 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Concert Choir 2, 3, 4.
FLORINE ANN EICHER — (academic) Patriot Staff 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Commercial Club 4; F.T.A. 3; Spanish Club 1, 2.

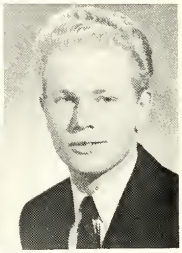
FRIEDA M. EICHER—(clerical) Patriot Staff 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; D.C.E. 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Spanish Club 1.
JULIAN THOMAS ELKINS—(general)
JOHN S. FEASTER—(academic) Science Club 3, 4; D.C.E. 4; Spanish Club 1, 2.

NOAH SCOTT FENTON—(general) Class Play 4; Science Club 3, 4; Dramatics Club 2, 3, 4.
KENNETH WAYNE FINDLEY—(general) D.C.E. 4; Industrial Arts Club 1.
CLARA F. FRENCH—(clerical) D.C.E. 4; Commercial Club 4.

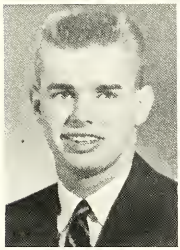
FLORA V. GRAY—(clerical) G.A.A. 2, 4.
PAUL N. GRUBER—(general) Concert Choir 2, 4; F.F.A. 2.
RUBY MAY HALL—(home economic).

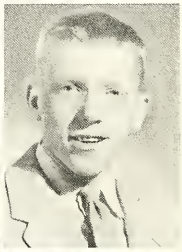
HARRY HALLETT, JR.—(industrial arts) Football 1.
JOHN F. HARLOW—(academic) Track 1, 2, 3; Golf Team 1; Spanish Club 1, 2; Lettermen's Club 4; Science Club 4.
PATRICIA ANN HARVEY—(commercial) Band 1, 2, 3, 4 (treasurer 4); G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4 (president 4); Commercial Club 3, 4; Dramatics Club 3.



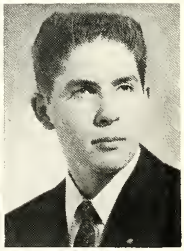


CARL M. HAWKINS—(general) D.C.E. 4.
JANET SUE HAWN—(academic) Latin Club 1, 2; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4 (chaplain 3, secretary 4); Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Patriot 4.
R. W. HAYCRAFT, JR.—(academic) Choir 1, 2, 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2; Track 1.

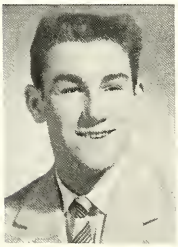


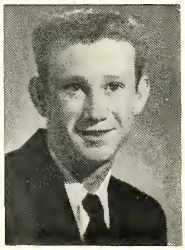


EUGENE A. HEIWIG—(academic) Latin Club 1, 2; Hi-Y 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2.
PEGGY HENNESSY—(academic) Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Majorette 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1; Latin Club 2, 3 (secretary 2, president 3); Patriot Staff 4 (editor).
JAMES GORDON HEYNE—(general) Football 1; Basketball 1; Tennis 1.



JACKIE LEE HILDRETH—(academic) Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 2, 3; Science Club 3; Latin Club 1; Class Play 3.
MARY JANE HORSTMAN—(clerical) Commercial Club 4; D.C.E. 4; Choir 1.
PHILIP D. JORDAN—(general) Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Concert Choir 3, 4; Solo and Ensemble Contest 2, 3, 4; Class Plays 3, 4; Owl Staff 1, 4.





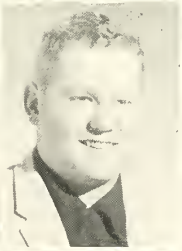
DEE JAY KELLER—(general) Lettermen's Club 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Football 2, 3; Art Club 2, 3 (secretary 2).
MARY LOU KILLION—(general) D.C.E. 4.
GORDON D. KNOTT—Baseball 1, 2; Basketball 1.

CAROLYN A. KOONTZ—(commercial) Commercial Club 4; Girls' Choir 4; F.H.A. 4; Band 3, 4.
LINDA L. KRIETE—(general) D.C.E. 4.
DON LINCOLN—(general) Art Club 4; Intramural Basketball 2; D.C.E. 4; Prom Committee 3.

THOMAS C. McGINLEY—(general) D.C.E. 4; Track 1, 2; Cross Country 2, 3; Class Play 3; Dramatics Club 3.
GORDON R. McKINNEY—(general) Track; Industrial Arts Club 1.
RALPH W. McNEAL—(general)

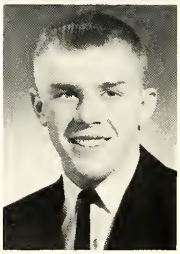
WILMA JEAN MARSH—(general) Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3; D.C.E. 4; Commercial Club 4; F.H.A. 2.
JANICE SUE MARTIN—(commercial) Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4 (president 4, secretary 3); Commercial Club 3, 4 (vice-president 4); Patriot Staff 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Student Council 2.
NANCY ELLEN MARTIN—(academic) Latin Club 1, 2; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Majorette 1, 2 (drum majorette 3, 4); Patriot Staff 4 (picture editor and assistant editor); Owl Staff 2, 3.

MARY KATHRYN MEYER—(clerical) Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Majorette 1, 2, 3, 4; F.T.A. 3 (vice-president); Owl Staff 3; Class Play 3, 4.
GEORGE D. MILLER, JR.—(vocational agriculture) F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Lettermen's Club 3, 4.
THELMA MAY MITCHELL—(clerical) D.C.E. 4.



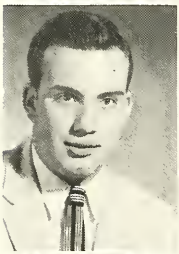
DANNY L. MOORE—(academic) Beginners' Choir 1; Latin Club 1, 2; Intramural Basketball 3.
BARBARA JOAN MORGAN—(general) Owl Staff 3, 4; D.C.E. 4 (president); G.A.A. 1, 2.
CHRIS D. MORITZ, JR.—(general) Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Concert Choir 2, 3, 4; Science Club 3, 4; Dramatics Club 2, 3; Football 1, 2.

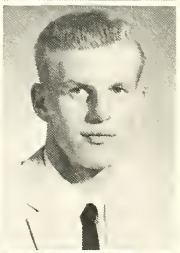
MARTHA MUELLER — (general) Tri-Hi-Y 3; Latin Club 1, 2; F.H.A. 1, 2.
SAMUEL A. MUELLER — (academic) Latin Club 1, 2; State Latin Contest 3; Concert Choir 3.
PAUL E. NAY—(vocational machine shop).



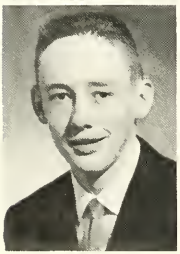
MARY LOIS NENTRUP—(commercial) Concert Choir 3, 4; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Owl Staff 3; Commercial Club 3; Class Play 3.
JOHN NEWBY—(general) Band 1, 2, 3.
HARVARD WILLIAM NOLTING, JR. — (academic) Class President 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4 (secretary 3, sergeant-at-arms 4); Spanish Club 1, 2; Lettermen's Club 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4.

JUDITH LOU OSTERMAN—(commercial) Band 2, 3, 4 (treasurer 4); Concert Choir 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 4 (president 4); Patriot Staff 4; Student Council 4.
JUDITH ANN PARKS — (academic) Spanish Club 1, 2; Concert Choir 2, 3, 4 (treasurer 4); F.T.A. 3, 4 (secretary 3); Ensemble 3, 4; Owl Staff 3, 4.
JANET SUE PETERS — (academic) Student Council 3, 4 (secretary and treasurer 4); Science Club 4; Patriot Staff 4 (copy-editor); Concert Choir 2, 3, 4 (secretary 4); F.T.A. 4 (president 4).





JAMES L. PIERCE—(general) Concert Choir 3, 4; Vocational Machine Shop 3, 4.
DOROTHY RUTH POLLERT—(academic) F.H.A. 1; Spanish Club 2; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; D.C.E. 4.
DENNIS LEE REBBER—(general) Patriot Staff 4 (sports editor); Owl Staff 3 (sports editor); Class Officer (vice-president 4); Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4.

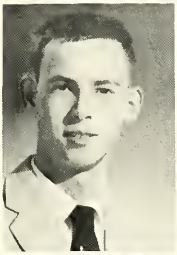


DONALD F. REBBER—(general) Industrial Arts Club 1; Spanish Club 1, 2; D.C.E. 4; Football 1.
BARBARA ANN RIES—(academic) Dramatics Club 2; Usher for Baccalaureate 3; Usher for Commencement 3; Patriot Staff 4.
CLARA A. RITTMAN—(academic) Class Play 3; Patriot Staff 4.

BETTY L. ROSS—(general).
WILLIAM HAROLD ROSS—(general) Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4.
WILLIAM RUDDICK—(general).

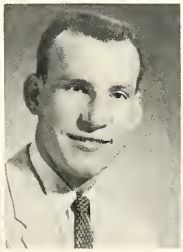
SANDRA SUE RUDDICK—(general) F.H.A. 1; Owl Staff 3; D.C.E. 4 (vice-president); Class Play 4.
ELIZABETH CARLENE SCHEIDER—(general) G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Art Club 1, 2; Tri-Hi-Y 3; D.C.E. 4; Class Play 4.
DENNY SCHRADER—(academic) Latin Club 1; Band 1, 2, 3; Concert Choir 1, 2.

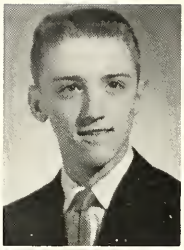
RICHARD SCHRADER—(general) D.C.E. 4.
MARTHA LOUISE SHORT—(academic) G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4 (secretary 4); Concert Choir 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4 (vice-president 3, president 4); Class Play 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4.
PHYLLIS MAE SIEFKER—(academic) Science Club 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Dramatics Club 3; Latin Club 1.



ROBERT L. SIEFKER—(academic) Track 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2; Concert Choir 2, 3, 4 (vice-president 4); Ensemble Contest 4; Intramural Basketball 2.
MICHAEL SIMMONS—(academic) Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4 (president 3 and 4); Class Play 3, 4; Spanish Club 1, 2; Latin Club 3; Letter-men's Club 3, 4.
CHRISTINA L. SMITH—(clerical) Spanish Club 2, 3; D.C.E. 4; Commercial Club 4; G.A.A. 2.

JONRA KAY SMITH—(clerical) G.A.A. 1; D.C.E. 4; Class Play 3.
RICHARD D. SNYDER—(general) Band 1, 2, 3, 4.
PATRICIA ELLEN SPECKNER—(academic) Patriot Staff 4.





KATHERINE LUCINDA SPRAY — (academic) Latin Club 2; G.A.A. 2, 3; D.C.E. 4; Commercial Club 4; Usher for Baccalaureate.

STEVEN STEINKAMP—(academic) Latin Club 1.

SARAH LOU STEINKER — (academic) Latin Club 1, 2 (president 2); Class Officer (treasurer 3); Band 1, 2, 3; Patriot Staff 4.

HELEN LUCILLE STELTENPOHL—(general) Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; D.C.E. 4; F.H.A. 4.

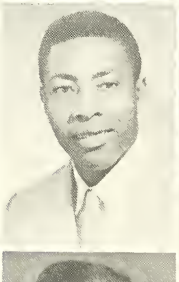
PEGGY J. STANSBERRY CLARK—(general) Spanish Club, Art Club, G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 4; F.H.A. 4.

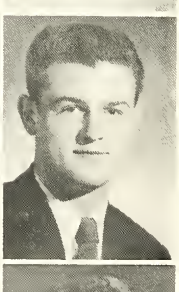
JANET LOUISE SUTHERLAND — (clerical) G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Concert Choir 2, 3, 4; Ensemble 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; D.C.E. 4 (class president).

EDNA MAE TANKERSLEY—(clerical).

SANDRA TAYLOR BUSTER — (commercial) D.C.E. 4.

MARITA JEAN TERKHORN — (commercial) Class Play 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4 (treasurer 4); F.T.A. 3, 4 (treasurer 4); Concert Choir 3, 4; Patriot Staff 4.





DANNY K. THOMAS—(general) Basketball 1, 2, 3; Track 2, 3; Baseball 1; Lettermen's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3.

PHYLLIS ANN TORMOEHLEN—(commercial) Beginning Choir 1; Art Club 2; Usher for Baccalaureate; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 4.

RICHARD ALLEN TUGGLE—(vocational agriculture) Football 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Lettermen's Club 3, 4; Basketball 1; Patriot Staff 4.

LINDA LARIE TURNER—(clerical) D.C.E. 4.

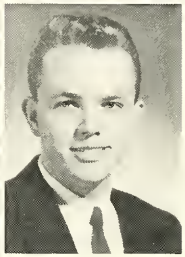
NANCY ELLEN TURPIN—(academic) Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Concert Choir 2, 3, 4; Ensemble 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4; Owl Staff 3.

JANET SUE VANCE — (clerical) Commercial Club 3, 4; D.C.E. 4.

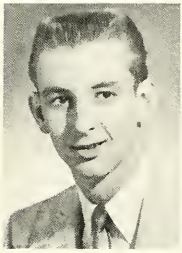
SENIOR WHO'S WHO

MICHAEL J. VAN FOSSEN — (general) Art Club 1, 2 (treasurer 2); Prom Host 2; Dramatics Club 2, 4; Prom Decorating Committee 3.
JAMES D. VAN OSDOL — (academic) Concert Choir 2, 3, 4 (president 4); Hi-Y 2, 3, 4.
DAN VON FANGE—(general) Football 1.

MARY ANN WEBER—(general) Concert Choir 3, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Spanish Club 1.
HAROLD D. WEDDELL — (academic) Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Lettermen's Club 2, 3, 4.
DONALD E. WELLER — (general) Basketball 1, 2.



ERNEST LLOYD WELLS—(vocational machine shop) Cross Country 2, 3 (manager 3).
EUNICE WICHMAN—(academic) Owl Staff 4; Patriot Staff 4; Concert Choir 3, 4; Beginning Choir 1, 2.



Best Looking

Patty Harvey

Bill Nolting

Best Personality

Janet Bobb

Denny Rehber

Senior Who's Who cont.

Best Physique and Figure

Phil Jordon
Kathryn Meyer

Most Studious

Jim VanOsdol
Ermadene Able

Most Likely to Succeed

Merlin Bell
Janet Peters

Most Athletic

Martha Short
Danny Thomas

Best Dancers

Nancy Martin
Mike VanFossen

Most Talented

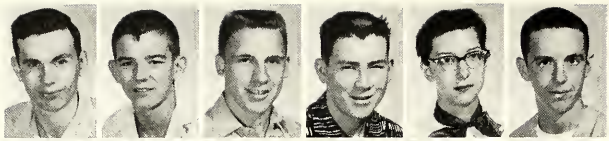
Judy Osterman
Larry Eglen

Chosen to lead the Juniors during this very important year were president, J. R. Hudson; vice president, Peggy Boyles; secretary, Linda Bollinger; and treasurer, Brenda Sciarra along with the sponsors, Mr. Kenneth Chastain, Miss Bernice Foster, Mr. Elwood Switzer, and Miss Pearl Shaffer.

JUNIORS Plan For Prom

The Junior Class was very busy this year planning the Junior-Senior Prom and giving their Class Play. They had projects such as selling "Seymour Owls" car tags to promote their activities. The co-operation between the class officers and the class sponsors led to a very well-planned and successful junior year.

Committee starts work on Prom.



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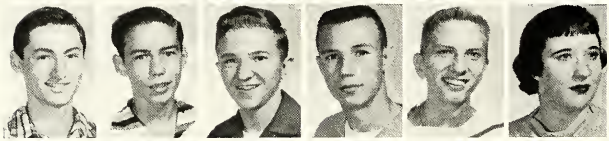
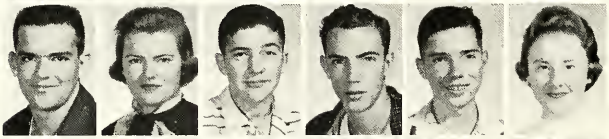
Row 2: Mickey Beck, Sandra Bobb, Ruth Ann Bode, Linda Bollinger, Wendell Borcherding, Peggy Boyles



Row 3: John Brackemyre, Mark Brackemyre, Gene Brethauer, Larry Brooks, Melvin Burgett, Joan Burke

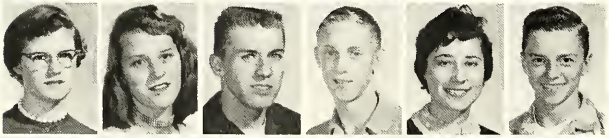


Row 4: Kenneth Burrell, Joy Campbell, Jerry Carmer, Larry Carpenter, Raymond Chastain, Judy Coates

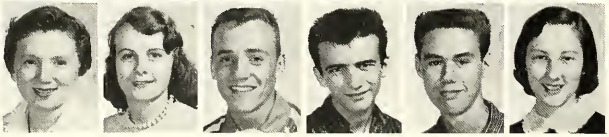
Row 5: Tom Cooley, Janice Cooper, Janet Cummings, Elaine Davidson, Charles Deaton, Bill Dollens

Row 6: Lucille Engleking, Kenneth Ferris, Patty Engleking, Ronald Fields, Leroy Findley, Karen Foster

Row 7: David Fox, Janice Frederick, Judy Gilbert, Steve Gill, Nellie Gray, Richard Gregory



Row 8: Janet Hall, Sybil Harmon, Bill Hazzard, Glen Heideman, Linda Henkle, Terry Henley



Row 9: Sandra Hercamp, Janet Hildreth, Paul Hollenbeck, Joe Hubbard, J. R. Hudson, Connie James

Row 1: Fred Jeffers, Ed Jones, Sally Jones, Molly Kelley, Pat Kelley, Saundra Kern

Row 2: Nick Kestner, Karen Keyes, Doris Kiel, Don Kieser, Bill Klakamp, Linda Klakamp

Row 3: Charles Knott, Melvin Knott, Irma Krumme, Richard Lambring, Donna Laraway, Dorla Leckermeyer

Row 4: Judy Leonard, John Lewis, Mike Lewis, James Long, Doris Loyd, Gerald Lucas

Row 5: Jim Lucas, Sue Lucas, Clarence McCasland, Beverly McClintock, Jerry McDonald, Herman McDougal

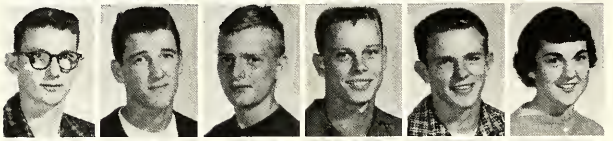
Row 6: Jerry Marsh, Ed Martin, Jerry Mellencamp, John Miller, Sharlene Miller, Mary Jane Mitchell

Row 7: Larry Mobley, Willis Moenning, Kenny Montgomery, Donna Moore, Ann Moren, Marcia Mueller

Row 8: Don Munden, Max Norris, Ronnie Nowling, Carolyn Otte, Ninette Pfister, Esther Polley

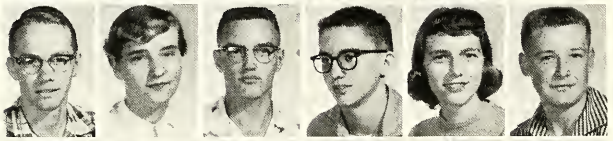
Row 9: Larry Prewitt, Patty Quinn, Sandra Read, Daniel Reabard, Janet Reed, Franklin Riley

Row 1: Roberta Riordan, Jerry Ritz, Kathleen Robbins, Denver Roberts, Bill Robinson, Margeret Roeger



Row 2: Bill Rogers, Tom Ruddick, Morris Sandlin, Jeff Schrink, Don Schroer, Brenda Sciarra

Row 3: Shade Shutters, Myron Smith, Patty Spray, Paul Spurgeon, Marion Stanfield, Beverly Stark.



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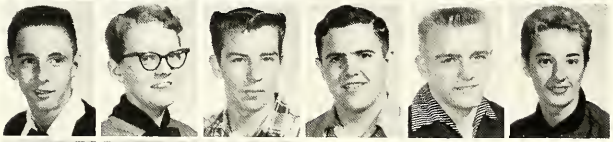

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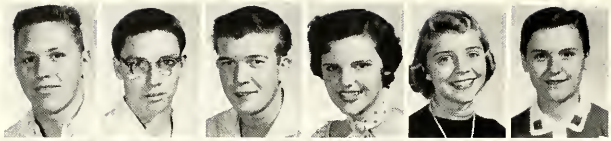

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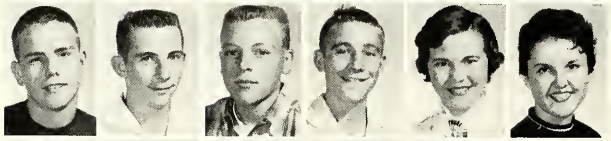

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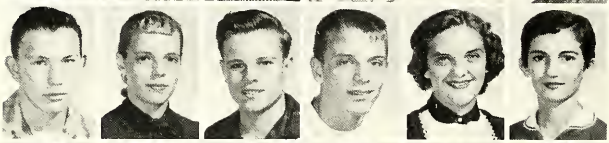

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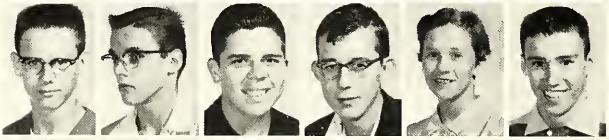

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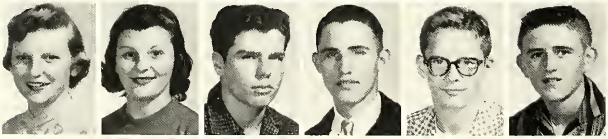

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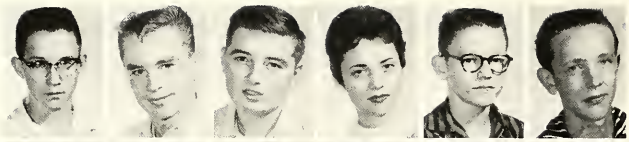

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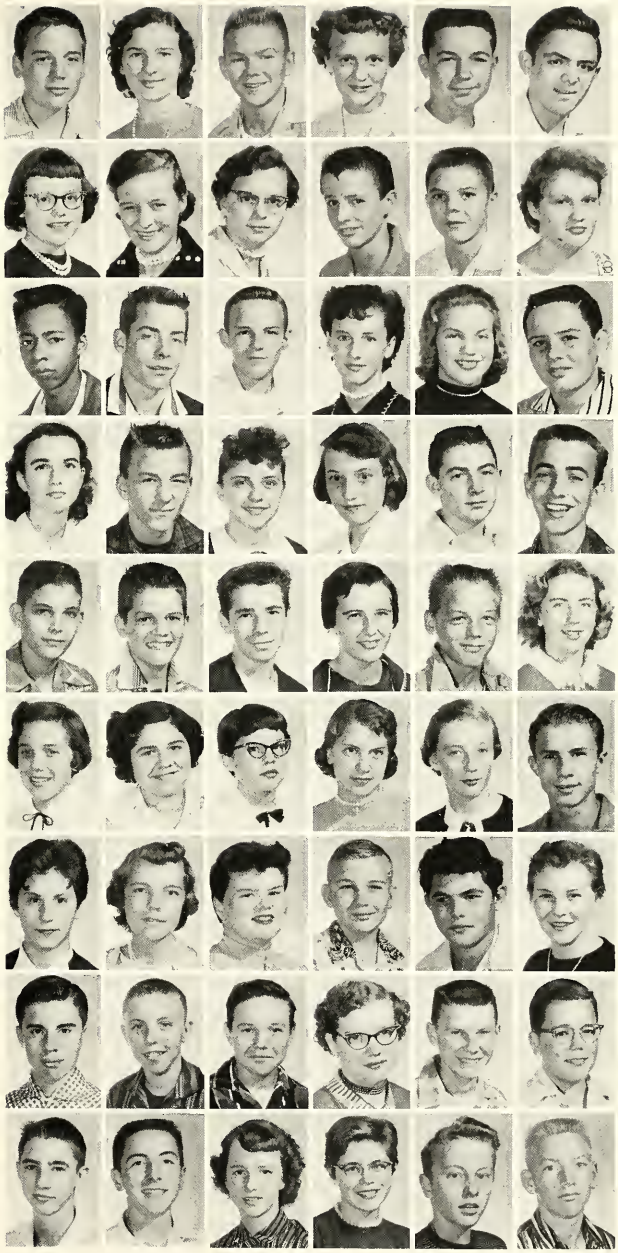

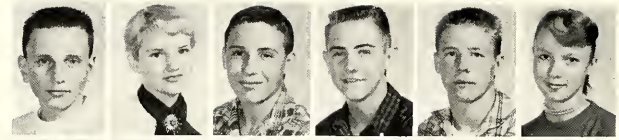

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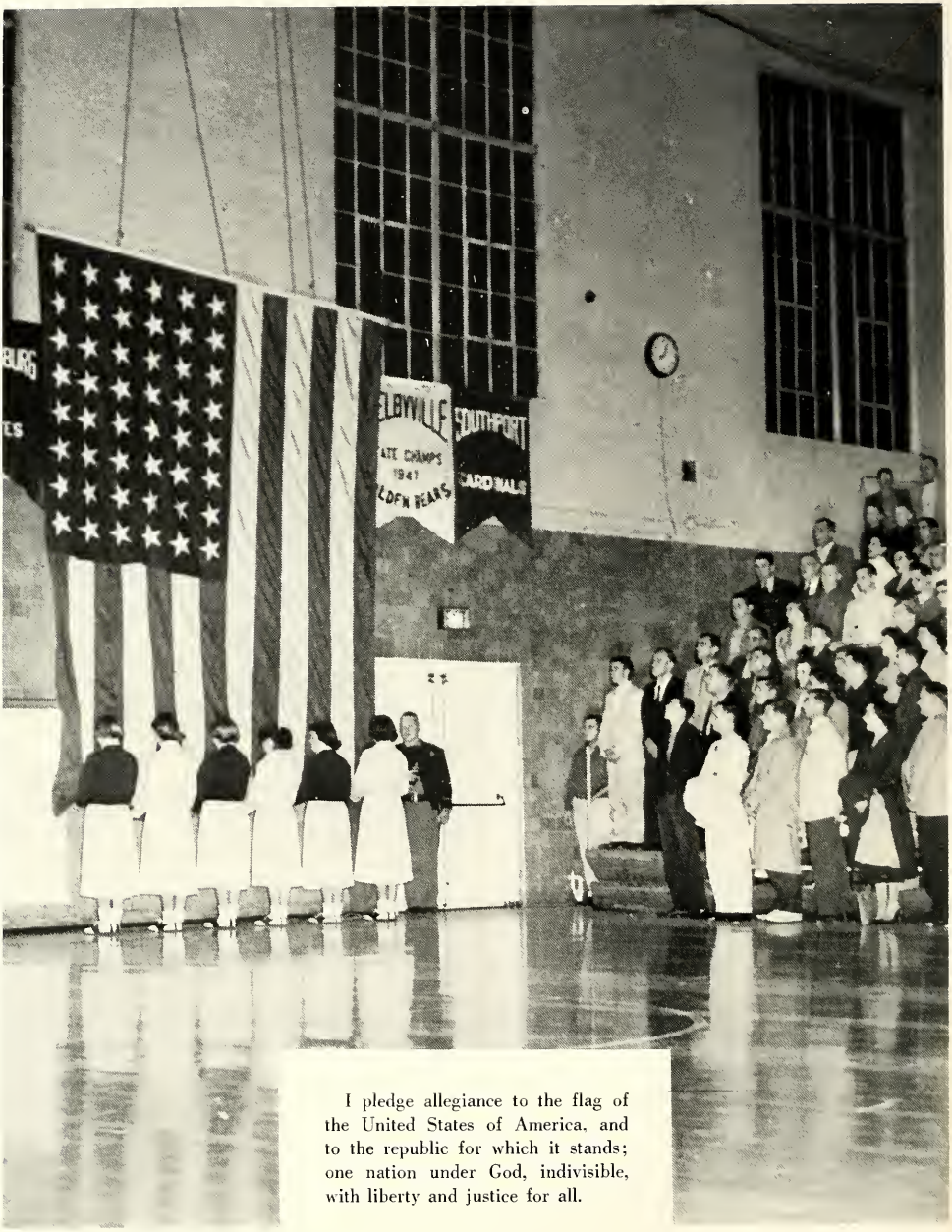

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